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Bill Projects Huge Outlay To Educate Veterans

Senate Will Get Measure Providing Billion a Year for Postwar Training

By Jack Bell
Associated Press Staff Writer

A billion dollar annual outlay for education of the veterans of this war is projected in a revised measure likely to get Senate consideration this month.

Disclosing that a subcommittee which he heads had completed work on major provisions of a measure to make $50 monthly available to veterans, Chairman Thomas (Democrat) of Utah, of the Senate Education Committee predicted early congressional approval of the legislation so that its terms could be applied to 75,000 men discharged monthly from the armed forces.

"I don't think anybody can be against this bill in its present form," Thomas said. "It is a necessary adjunct to the rehabilitation aid which now is available to the veterans and to the mustering out pay which the Senate has approved and which is awaiting House action."

Original Draft Altered

Thomas explained that the original draft of the measure had been altered to eliminate any possible suggestion of Federal control of education. State boards of education would certify the institutions at which training would be given to veterans of the armed forces and the Merchant Marine after the honorable completion of their service.

As outlined by Thomas, the bill would provide $50 monthly for subsistence of veterans who elect to go back to school after the war. Their tuition would be paid by the Government, which also would underwrite book costs, laboratory fees and the expense of student activities. Married students would be allowed $25 additional for a dependent spouse and $10 for each dependent child.

The committee chairman said training from the primary grades through college would be available for the veterans, with any person eligible who had had 90 days active service unless he voluntarily separated himself from the armed forces. In the latter category, persons who had seen service overseas still would be eligible.

Choice of Selection

Training would be through established schools and colleges of all kinds, Thomas said, with some apprentice courses provided in industry, where they were carried out in cooperation with State boards of education.

He added that veterans could select the kind of training, including vocational and extension courses, and also the certified school for which he could qualify for at least one year's courses.

After the first year, the educational institutions themselves would decide whether the veteran showed sufficient aptitude to continue his training, but a maximum of four years Government aid would be fixed.

Thomas said studies indicated that about 7 per cent of the more than 10 million men and women in the armed forces and the Merchant Marine could be expected to apply for and receive the projected aid. He said the billion dollar annual cost was figured on this basis, when the full program is under way.

Although some committee members, notably Senator Pepper (Democrat) Florida, had urged that the Government allowance be increased to as high as $100 a month, Thomas said he thought $50 adequate.

Roosevelt Better, Works on His Congress Message

The White House announced yesterday that President Roosevelt was definitely improved following a recent heavy cold.

The Chief Executive still was confined to his rooms in the White House, but a spokesman said he was doing some work.

No set appointments have been made for today, but Mr. Roosevelt will be left to his own wishes. He has been doing some work on the State of the Union message which he wil deliver to Congress next week.

Federal Girl Worker Ends Her Life With Gun

Sarahelen Miller, 21, Department of Commerce employe, ended her life with a bullet from a revolver, at the family home, 1545 Brentwood rd. ne., yesterday.

A certification of suicide was issued by Acting Coroner Dr. Christopher Murphy. Miss Miller had been under treatment for a nervous condition for several months, according to Dr. Rush W. Conklin, family physician.

Police on Guard

Boys Discover 700 Gallons Of Gasoline Buried in Lot

Seven hundred gallons of gasoline, in drums, found on a vacant lot adjacent to 205 Forest dr., Falls Church, Va., last night had Fairfax County police in a quandary as to what disposition, if any, should be made of the precious fuel.

Police said they had gone to the lot and found 4 50-gallon drums and and 20 25-gallon drums of gasoline buried about 2 feet under the surface. Police had been told of the presence of the drums by some boys who were playing on the lot.

Puzzled as to the reason for the cache, police posted a guard over it, summoned OPA investigators and turned the investigation over to the Price Administration officers. However, the police last night informed reporters that a search warrant had been sought from Stanley King, U. S. Commissioner, in Alexandria. King, on the other hand, said he knew nothing of the matter.

Falls Church police were unable to state the grounds on which they might ask for the warrant, as they admitted they had no reason to assert the gasoline was illegally possessed.

According to the police, after they were informed of the presence of the fuel on the vacant lot, one of their members wielded a pick and shovel to unearth the drums. Having no legal right to remove it, they buried the cache again and posted a guard at the lot to see that it was not further disturbed.

Persons contacted at a house nearby were unable to give any explanation of the presence of the gasoline or when it was buried.

Even the ownership of the lot where the gasoline was said to have been found was in doubt last night as Fairfax police reported it to be owned by one man, who asserted that he had sold it to another. Until county records are available today it was not possible to verify the present ownership.

Victory to Take All Our Effort, Capper Says

Senator Defends Reported Ratio Of Invasion Forces

Winning the war is going to take all the resources of the United States "even beyond what ordinarily we would regard as the limit of endurance," Senator Capper (Republican) of Kansas said yesterday in a speech prepared for radio delivery.

"And we cannot afford these strikes for higher wages or higher prices or bigger profits that threaten to slow down production and to cost the lives of thousands of our fighting men abroad if the flow of supplies slackens for as much as a single day," Capper declared.

Commenting on a recent statement by Senator Johnson (Democrat) of Colorado that the United States would provide 73 per cent of the cross-Channel invasion forces and the British 27 per cent, Capper asserted:

"In considering the position of our great ally, England, we must make one clear distinction in our first thinking. We must realize the difference between Britain and the British Empire.

"The population of the British Empire is somewhere in the neighborhood of 450 million persons. But the population of Britain is only around 48 million. And the number of men among the other 400 million ruled by Britain who will fight for the British is so small that it cannot be counted.

"Thinking in terms of Britain—and that is what we must do and are doing in war planning—the British cannot do better than 48 Britons for every 135 Americans.

"Remember these figures when you feel inclined to criticize the division of men for the invasion of Europe."

Capper said the number of Americans to be used in the cross-Channel invasion "is a foretaste of what we can expect" when the major share of attention is transferred to Japan.

"If America must furnish three-fourths of the men necessary to cross the Channel and take France and the Lowlands, how can we expect that Britain, bled white by five years of war, will furnish even that great a proportion of the fighting manpower necessary to drive the Japs out of the continent of Asia?" Capper asked.

Excise Boosts To Be Delayed Until March 1

Unlikely Bill Will Pass In Time to Become Law By Feb. 1, Says George

By Felix Cotten
International News Service Staff Writer

Senator Walter F. George (Democrat) of Georgia, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, said last night that increases in excise taxes in the new tax bill probably would not go into effect before March 1.

"I don't think it will be possible," he said, "to pass the bill in time to permit the higher rates to go into effect on February 1."

The excise tax increases will become operative on the first day of the first month that begins more than 10 days after the tax bill is signed by the President. To make the higher excise tax rates effective February 1, the tax bill would have to become law by January 21.

Opposes Changes

Meanwhile, Senator Hatch (Democrat) of New Mexico, joined the ranks of Senators who intend to oppose the changes proposed by the Finance Committee in the law providing for recapture by the Government of excessive war profits.

"The changes suggested by the Finance Committee would reduce this law to a bare skeleton," Hatch said. "Instead of emasculating the law in this way, so that it would pretend to do something it would not do, namely, recapture excessive profits, I think it would be better to repeal the law outright.

"Then we could attack the problem of recapturing excessive profits in another way, by increasing the excess profits tax on corporations or by fixing a flat limit of 6 or 8 per cent on war porfits.

"Still, I believe this would be bad, and that the war contract renegotiation law should be continued in an effective form."

Changes approved by the Finance Committee in this law are a part of the new tax bill. The war contract renegotiation law went into effect on April 28, 1942, and was passed for the purpose of permitting the Government to recapture excessive war profits directly without depending entirely on taxation.

Bill Faces Veto

Delay in passing the tax bill is expected to result chiefly from the battle over the renegotiation law changes, although another source of controversy is the action of the Finance Committee in voting

See TAX, Page 2, Column 1.

For Sudden Victory

Business Should Prepare Now For Reconversion, Says Jones

Declaring that the war has created an "abnormal economy" with big business getting the larger share of the profits, Jesse Jones, Secretary of Commerce, warned yesterday that the end of the conflict may come "suddenly" and all segments of American business—large and small—had better prepare now for the reconversion period.

In order to get American industry over the hump of the transition period and to continue the system of free enterprise, Secretary Jones in an article appearing in the January issue of Domestic Commerce, said that many of the highest members of civic and business organizations are already "hard at work seeking the solutions to apparent problems before they arise."

"But," Jones said, "what of the thousands of smaller business firms without any affiliation with groups and lacking adequate managerial skill to plan for their future? What is happening to that basically American characteristic—private initiative, the quality that impels men to broaden their vision, take risks?"

He declared that small business, numbering some 2,750,000 individual concerns which normally employ some 8,350,000 workers, "must be stable and prosperous for the good of the entire economy."

The Secretary, in outlining plans of the Department of Commerce to aid small business in solving its problems, said:

"The Department of Commerce is demonstrating its belief in a free competitive system of enterprise. Within its capacities it will constantly seek to increase and to improve its contributions to the system. It will continue to fulfill its obligation to represent business interests in Government; make known to policy-making agencies its problems and requirements.

"But as we view the year ahead of us with all its uncertainties, the necessity of a broad and deep and all-inclusive planning for the reconversion period appears in the foreground. In this picture we see smaller enterprises standing side by side with the larger. All need to prepare now for the postwar period.

"We in Government and business leaders and private organizations can formulate the plans. But to make them work there must be a virile, courageous and revitalized upsurge of private initiative."

Jones said the demands of war had made necessary a jump in the national productivity of about 180 billion dollars, which is about 30 billion dollars more than the national income.

Reds 10 Miles From Old Poland; 1000 Tons of Bombs Hit Berlin; Yanks Open New Pacific Front

Veteran Troops Storm Ashore Behind Jap Line On New Guinea

'Rice Bowl' Saved

HEROIC DIVISION with little ammunition defended Changteh for 13 days, shooting only when sure of the kill and withstanding gas attacks without protection, ultimately saving China's "rice bowl." Page 2.

Yanks Strike Again

(Map on Page 8)

Advanced Allied Headquarters, New Guinea (Monday), Jan. 3 (AP).—Gen. Douglas MacArthur landed veteran American Army troops, including elements of the 32nd Division, on the beach at Saidor on the north coast of New Guinea, without opposition yesterday to strike the third lightning blow in 18 days against the Japanese in the Southwest Pacific area.

The troops, commanded by Brig. Gen. Clarence Martin and Col. Slade N. Bradley, pushed inland immediately to capture the airfield and reported shortly after landing that they had encountered slight resistance.

With the Japanese still reeling from offensive thrusts at Cape Gloucester and Arawe, both on New Britain Island, all since December 15, MacArthur caught them again by surprise by landing the soldiers behind the enemy's lines only 55 miles southeast of Madang, the Japanese's big base on Astrolabe Bay.

Japs Cut Off

By this amphibious operation MacArthur cut off a considerable force of Japanese still battling the Australians a few miles north of Blucher Point, which is above the Allied base at Finschhafen, and said the enemy was "trapped with no source of supply, and they face disintegration and destruction."

The landing, like the others before it, was a combined operation of land, sea and air forces. General Martin, a veteran of the Buna campaign in which the Americans and Australians cleaned the Japanese out of the Papau Peninsula in southeast New Guinea, commanded the entire task force. Colonel Bradley commanded the ground troops.

Ships of many kinds moved towards Saidor Saturday night and the troops landed at dawn Sunday after the escorting warships had heavily bombarded the area. The troops hit the beach from small craft at three points.

There was every indication the landing caught the Japanese entirely by surprise, for there was no enemy aerial reaction up to several hours later. The troops, including men from Wisconsin and Michigan, had things all their own way.

Bombers Pound Area

The captured airfield was not serviceable, but the Americans expected to move with their customary speed in such matters to put in their own fields for fighters and bombers.

The landing followed the pattern used in the invasion of Cape Gloucester December 26, with the bombers plastering the entire area preceding the troops' movement shoreward. In this case, the bombers hammered Saidor with 200 tons of explosives Saturday, then returned at invasion time to lay down a smoke screen which enabled the troops to land unobserved.

The Saidor attack was typical of what has become MacArthur's favorite strategy—hitting the Japanese where they least expect the blow, and keeping them guessing as to where the next blow is coming.

MacArthur did just this with the use of paratroopers in the Markham Valley, to take Lae, 75 miles south of Saidor, and at the base of the Huon Peninsula, last Sep-

See PACIFIC, Page 8, Column 4.

Seven Pounds of Explosives for Each Resident Have Hit Capital

London (Monday), Jan. 3 (AP).—RAF Lancasters battled high winds through cloudy moonless skies early Sunday to hurl more than 1000 long tons of bombs on Berlin in their ninth major assault on the German capital, and at the same time carried out a diversionary attack on the wrecked port city of Hamburg.

A Stockholm dispatch said Berlin still was burning early today, a thick pall of smoke choking German army pioneer troops who struggle to dig out the dead and injured.

With the 1944 aerial onslaught thus well launched, the RAF apparently was keeping the offensive rolling against the French coast all day yesterday and far into the night. Antiaircraft fire over Boulogne could be seen through the darkness from the English coast.

Nazi Defenses Weak

The Berlin attack was timed late to prevent moonlight from helping Nazi night fighters, and one pilot said he did not see a single enemy fighter. Some, however, reported a few night fighters used rocket shells.

The new attack raised to nearly 14,000 long tons the crushing bomb weight heaped on Berlin since the obliteration campaign opened November 18—roughly seven pounds of bombs for each of the 4,000,000 inhabitants.

This hundredth Berlin raid of the war set roaring new fires in the city, still burning from the last assault December 29, and sent columns of smoke 8000 feet high, crewmen said.

Forays Into France

The offensive continued by daylight early Sunday with forays by fighters over the Channel and into northern France.

London had its first alert Sunday night since last Thursday and considerable antiaircraft gunfire was heard along the Thames before the all-clear sounded.

Swedish correspondents in Berlin said outlying districts were the targets yesterday, hinting the RAF drive against the city already was reaching the mopping-up stage.

All reports indicate the capital has been virtually finished as an administrative center, with only remnants of its great industrial areas still be to be wrecked.

The plunge over Hamburg—where shipping has been reported resumed on a small scale—and Mosquito plane forays into west Germany duped the Nazi defenses.

Opposition Intermittent

The main body of Nazi nightfighters never reached Berlin, RAF fliers said, and the opposition along the route was intermittent.

The bombers struck the capital at 3 a.m. Swedish reports said there had been no New Year's festivity the night before, that it was "impossible to celebrate" because all restaurants, trolley and bus lines had closed down before midnight and thousands of residents had fled to the countryside expecting a raid.

"When we were approaching the target, a great yellow-red glow came up through the clouds," a wing commander said. "It lasted long enough to show that it was a very big explosion."

10,000 Rescuers Dig For Dead in Berlin

London, Jan. 2 (INS).—Ten thousand German rescue workers still were taking the dead from Berlin's ruins early today when the RAF pounded the Reich capital for the second time in four nights, according to a German underground radio broadcast.

Admiral's Own Account

Light Vessels Highly Praised In Story of Scharnhorst Fight

A British Northern Naval Base, Jan. 2 (AP).—A daring attack and pursuit by three British cruisers and an audacious torpedo onslaught by four destroyers at a range of less than 1 mile were given high credit by Admiral Sir Bruce Fraser today for the December 26 destruction of the German battleship Scharnhorst under the big guns of the British Duke of York.

The entire action was fought in the Arctic night above North Cape, Norway, Admiral Fraser said. The Duke of York, the cruiser Norfolk and the destroyer Saumarez suffered minor damage.

The home fleet commander's calm, matter-of-fact narrative, which did not mention the presence of any other German ships, is as follows:

At 0800 (8 a. m.) on December 26 the Duke of York, Admiral Fraser's flagship, with H. M. Cruiser Jamaica astern and the destroyers Savage, Saumarez, Scorpion and the Norwegian destroyer Stord acting as antisubmarine screen, was some way to the westward of the eventual scene of battle, steering to the eastward.

Action in Darkness

The weather during the previous night had been extremely bad and few people, even in the battleship, had had much sleep. There is no daylight in these latitudes, though there is a period of twilight in the middle of the day. The whole of the main action, which started in late afternoon, was therefore fought in the dark.

Vice Admiral R. L. Burnett with the force of cruisers was at this time to the southward of the Russia-bound convoy, which was in the latitude of Bear Island. He himself was on the Belfast, with the Norfolk and Sheffield in company. The convoy was escorted by destroyers and corvettes.

About 0930 (9:30 a. m.) Burnett sighted the Scharnhorst at long range, steering toward the convoy. Speed was increased to 27 knots and all three cruisers opened fire), the Norfolk obtaining a hit.

Action Broken Off

This engagement lasted until 1030 (10:30 a. m.), when touch with enemy was lost due to her superior speed in the weather conditions prevailing. She was last seen steering off to the northeast, having been driven off from the convoy by the determined attack of Admiral Burnett and his cruisers.

During this time my force still was many miles to the westward, proceeding at speed with the intention of getting between the Scharnhorst and her base at Alterfjord.

Admiral Burnett, who was joined by the destroyers Musketeer, Matchless, Opportune and Virago from the convoy escort, now raced back to support the convoy in case the enemy should attempt another attack on it.

About 12:30 the expected happened, and the enemy reappeared from the westward, making toward the convoy. The cruisers, who

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Associated Press WIREPHOTO
ADMIRAL SIR BRUCE FRASER

Italian Port Within Range Of Allied Guns

Canadians Capture Height in Drive On Pescara Harbor

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Jan. 2 (AP).—Canadian troops striking up the Adriatic coast are within artillery range of the strategic port of Pescara, less than 9 miles away, after seizing a long hill in a 24-hour battle waged in snow, wind and sleet, Allied headquarters announced today.

Canadians also captured San Tommasso, 2 miles west of Ortna, in bitter fighting, widening their hold on the coastal sector.

One of the worst storms of the Italian campaign hampered land and air acticity everywhere, but British troops of the Fifth Army snaked across the Garigliano River in a new raid 6 miles inland from the west coast, penetrating a mile to Castel Forte and then withdrawing.

At sea, American motor torpedo boats slipped into the Gulf of Genoa in a daredevil sea raid Wednesday night and damaged a German trawler and torpedoed another ship, the communique said.

The following night British destroyers in the Adriatic shelled a schooner off the east Italian coast and drove the ship ashore.

(A Berlin broadcast declared Nazi bombers raided the supply port of Augusta Friday morning in their first blow at eastern Sicily in many weeks, causing "considerable destruction." There was no Allied confirmation of the attack.

Canadian infantry and armor knocked the Germans from a long low hill on the Adriatic coastal

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Soviets Expected To Cross Border Today as Push Keeps Up Tempo

(Map on Page 2.)

London (Monday), Jan. 3 (AP).—Gen. Nikolai F. Vatutin's First Ukraine Army swept to within 10 miles of old Poland yesterday, killing 4000 Germans and freeing 150 villages, Moscow announced at midnight.

The Russians were expected to cross the prewar frontier sometime today on the basis of the 17-mile gain rolled up yesterday.

Hacking the retreating remnants of 22 wrecked German divisions over ground which the enemy had torn from Russia in the first month of his 1941 invasion, Russian units swinging southwestward toward Rumania also threatened Germany's big Dnieper bend army with equal disaster.

The Russians in ten days on three major fronts already have recovered approximately 7000 square miles of territory. In 18 months of one of history's most savage conflicts, the Red army also has regained 300,000 of the 525,000 square miles of Russian territory which the Germans had won at a terrific cost in men and equipment.

Drive Along Railway

Striking northwest of Korosten along the Kiev-Warsaw Railway the upper wing of Vatutin's army seized Poyaski, 10 miles from former Polish territory, said a Moscow broadcast-communique recorded by the Soviet monitor. One rail station, Olevsk, a few miles beyond, is the last stop before Poland.

To the south the Russians also took Andreevichi, 15 miles northeast of Novograd-Volynski, a rail junction, while another column was converging on that last important German stronghold in the area from the southeast.

Berdichev also was further outflanked as the Russians seized areas northwest of that rail junction 25 miles below fallen Zhitomir. Berdichev, headquarters of Field Marshal Gen. Fritz von Mannstein before the Russians broke through on a front now about 250 miles wide, appeared about to fall.

Below Berdichev other Russian units were plunging toward Kalinovka, a rail post on the Kiev-Zhmerinka railway only 75 miles from the Rumanian frontier.

45 Miles From Latvia

On the Baltic front Gen. Ivan C. Bagramian's troops were declared to have seized 40 more localities in the frozen lake country north and northwest of Nevel, and were 45 miles from the Latvian frontier.

A total of 3000 Germans have been killed by Bagramian's forces in the last three days, said a midnight bulletin.

In the area between Zhitomir and Berdichev, the communique said, the Germans "hurriedly brought up reserves and launched ceaseless counterattacks." The Russians were declared to have repulsed these quickly and driven onward.

Besides the 4000 Germans slain during the day on the Ukraine front, Moscow said the Red army destroyed 68 tanks, 29 guns and 9 armored carriers, and captured 14 tanks in working order, 60 guns, over 200 machineguns, 580 trucks, 400 railway carriages, 4 trains, and 7 supply dumps. "A considerable number of prisoners was taken."

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Invasion Soon, Reich Told

Gen. Eisenhower Bids Farewell To Mediterranean Command

Nazi Propaganda Warns Big Drive Is Matter of Weeks

London, Jan. 2 (AP).—An ever-mounting number of American troops thronged this island capital today as German analysts poured out a steady stream of invasion alarms predicting that Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower will strike from the west sooner than had been expected.

The Americans were fighting men of all arms, some wearing the ankle boots of parachute troops and airborne divisions; others the uniforms of the air forces, infantry, artillery, the engineers.

Nazi Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels' henchmen told Germany that General Eisenhower's supreme stroke would come in a matter of weeks at most, that other Allied blows could be anticipated elsewhere in Europe, and sought to solace the home front by hammering home the theme that "Germany is ready."

One Berlin broadcast said that among recent countermeasures was the transfer of a special army of seasoned German troops from the

Leaves to Assume Charge of Western Invasion Forces

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Jan. 2 (AP).—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, leaving to take up his post as commander in chief of the Allied invasion forces from the west, warmly praised his troops in the Mediterranean theater today and to each he sent wishes of good luck "until we meet again in the heart of the enemy's continental stronghold."

"Soon I leave this theater to assume other duties assigned me by the Allied governments," he said.

"I take my leave of you with feelings of personal regret that are equalled only by my pride in your brilliant accomplishments of the year just past. Although tempted to review again the many advantages that have accrued to the Allied cause through your bravery and fortitude I believe all these will come home to you if you will merely compare your present position and prospects in this great conflict with your position and outlook in the late fall of 1942.

"Then the Eighth Army was making its final preparations to attack

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RAF Fliers Chase Nazi Ships Around Eiffel Tower, Get 1

London, Jan. 2 (INS).—Sunday strollers witnessed a rare show in Paris today when British Typhoon fighter-bombers chased several Nazi biplanes around the Eiffel Tower in a mad aerial merry-go-round.

Guns blazing all the time, the speedy R. A. F. planes pursued the German training ships in a tight circle around the tip of the famous tower until one of the biplanes was shot to the ground, the air ministry announced.

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Chinese Fell Fast In Changteh Stand

War Sidelights

Doolittle's Men Destroy 5500 Planes

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Jan. 2 (AP).—Maj. Gen. James H. Doolittle's strategic air arm of the northwest African Air Forces dropped 74,000 tons of bombs on Axis targets in the Mediterranean area in 1943, shot down 3146 enemy planes, and destroyed 2426 more aground, it was announced today. The Britain-based U. S. Eighth Air Force dropped 55,000 tons, and knocked down 4100 German fighters.

Doolittle lost 819 planes, compared with about 1000 bombers and 150 fighters lost by the Eighth.

His men sank 101 enemy ships ranging from cruisers to Nazi torpedo boats. Another 216 ships were damaged seriously.

Nazis Seek Recruits

Stockholm, Jan. 2 (AP).—A dispatch today said members of the Hitler youth organization were being urged to join the German army as volunteers, indicating anew the Reich's need for recruits. The dispatch said it was learned that 15-year-old members of the Jugend (youth organization) were being trained in cavalry units for front line service when they become 16.

Germany is reorganizing her cavalry, a move which apparently reflects the Russian's effective use of mounted troops on the Eastern Front.

Nazis Raid Seminaries

Stockholm, Jan. 2 (AP).—The correspondent of the Dagens Nyheter disclosed today that the Germans had raided three Catholic seminaries in Rome, arresting Jewish military and political refugees.

No official Vatican protest was expected, although the Vatican newspaper said the seminaries always had been accorded the right of asylum, and that both Fascists and anti-Fascists were given refuge.

733 Killed in Raid

Stockholm, Jan. 2 (AP).—The newspaper Aftontidningen said today at least 733 persons were killed in a December 30 raid by American bombers on Ludwigshafen, including 300 persons gassed when a large chemical plant was smashed. (Poison gas components are manufactured there.)

Excise Boosts To Be Delayed

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to "freeze" the old age pension payroll tax at the present level until January 1, 1945.

Administration leaders have said President Roosevelt may veto the bill if either the Finance Committee renegotiation law changes or the old age pension tax freeze is included in the measure as finally passed by Congress.

As a result, it is believed to be entirely possible that no tax bill will be passed at all.

Barkley to Lead Fight

Senate Majority Leader Alben W. Barkley has indicated he will lead the fight in the Senate against the Finance Committee renegotiation law changes. Barkley is a member of the committee. Other members who will support him are Senators Connally (Democrat) of Texas, Walsh (Democrat) of Massachusettes and La Follette (Progressive) of Wisconsin.

Hatch is chairman of a subcommittee on renegotiation appointed by Senator Truman (Democrat) of Missouri, chairman of the Senate War Investigating Committee. Truman has said he will "fight the Finance Committee renegotiation law changes with all I have got."

George favors repeal of the renegotiation law as a dangerous and unAmerican delegation to Government agencies of arbitrary power to dictate profits that industry should be allowed to make. He favors taxation as a method of recapturing excessive profits.

SPECIAL NOTICES

OFFICE OF THE FIREMEN'S INSURANCE COMPANY OF WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN, 303 Seventh Street Northwest, Washington, D. C. The stockholders of the Firemen's Insurance Company of Washington and Georgetown will meet at the office on MONDAY, January 3, 1944, for the purpose of electing thirteen directors for the ensuing year. Polls open from 11 a. m. to 12 noon. ALBERT W. HOWARD, Secretary. 22-Jan.3

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS. The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE AMERICAN COMPANY will be held in the Colony Room, Ambassador Hotel, 1412 K Street Northwest, WEDNESDAY, January 12, 1944, at 10 a. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. JOHN W. FISHER, Secretary. 1.3

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Trust Company of the District of Columbia for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may come before the meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 11th 1944, at 1 o'clock P. M. at the office of the company, Fifteenth and H Streets, Northwest, Washington, D. C. The polls will be open from 1 to 2 o'clock P. M. Transfer books will be closed from the 11th to fifteenth of January, 1944, both days inclusive. IRVING ZIRPEL, Secretary. 3.5.7

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington American League Baseball Club will be held at the offices of the club, Baseball Park, Washington, D. C., on TUESDAY, January 4, 1944, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may be properly brought before said meeting.
EDWARD B. EYNON, JR.,
Dec.17,20,28;Jan.3. Secretary.

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Heroic Defense of City Described; Ammunition Low

With Chinese Forces in Northern Hunan, Dec. 29 (Delayed) (AP). The story of the heroic and suicidal defense of the city of Changteh, from which the Japanese were driven after a 13-day struggle for that vital point in China's "rice bowl" was told today by the survivors of the Chinese 57th Division. One hundred thousand men died or were wounded in the brief and bitter campaign.

Insufficient ammunition forced the city's defenders to shoot only when sure of the kill; and the rank and file met deadly night gas attacks without protection.

Eight survivors told of the 57th's stand, first outside the walled city, then on the fortified wall and finally from street to street, blockhouse to blockhouse and barricade to barricade.

All but one of the eight were wounded, and four actually remained in the city with 100 or more of their comrades during the six-day Japanese occupation, hiding from the conquerors and living on emergency rations, while the remainder of the division escaped across the Yuan River to join reinforcements moving up.

Conserved Their Shots

From a shaven-headed veteran sergeant of 10 years' service, the only one of the eight unscrathed, came the dramatic disclosure of the divisions's "do not shoot unless . . ." orders. They were:

"Don't shoot unless there is a good mark. Don't shoot without seeing. Don't shoot unless your shot is likely to kill."

"How could we have defended the city so long without these orders?" asked the sergeant.

He told of dire shortages of ammunition, despite the fact that the United States Fourteenth Air Force dropped cartridges and food to the beleaguered Chinese.

The attempts to provide the Fifty-seventh with food and ammunition were not a complete success, the soldiers said, for the bamboo baskets sometimes fell at Japanese positions. The ammunition also was badly damaged when it hit the ground, despite the cotton packing.

The survivors said the Japanese used three different types of gas—all almost colorless and used mostly at night to increase the surprise element.

Lacked Gas Masks

Gas cylinders and shells were used mostly in mortars and small, cannon-type weapons which spewed the gas on Chinese positions. Sometimes the Japanese set out larger containers, designed to discharge the gas to be carried by the wind. The Chinese soldiers of sergeant's rank or higher had masks, but the critical shortage denied them to the lower ranks, except for those who operated machine guns.

Dead and wounded in the Rice Bowl battles from November 7 to mid-December totaled nearly 100,000, with the Japanese losing three men to every four Chinese, it was calculated today.

The Chinese acknowledged 40,000 casualtiese in the sixth war area and 14,000 in the ninth—a total of 54,000—but the commanding generals, Chen Cheng and Huseh Yueh asserted Japanese losses were three-fourths as great. (This would indicate Japanese dead and wounded totaled about 40,000.)

Together the two commands said they had opposed a total Japanese force of 100,000.

Strong Japanese Force

Deaths of three Chinese divisional commanders were acknowledged. They were listed as Maj. Gens. Peng Shih-liang, Sun Ming-ching, and Hsu Kuo-seang. General Peng and an entire regiment perished outside the west gate of Shihmen in the fighting, November 13-15.

The Chinese also reported the death of a prominent Japanese officer, Lieut. Gen. Raishiro Sumita, who in 1940-41 was commander in chief of Japanese forces in French Indo-China.

U. S. Bombs Thailand

Chungking, Jan. 2 (AP).—A 50-ton bombing attack on railroad installations and ammunition supplies at Lampang, deep in Thailand (Siam) was the 1943 finale for the 14th U. S. Army Air Force, it was announced today by Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's headquarters.

Several large fires were started and one secondary explosion sent a smoke column 10,000 feet high. All planes returned.

Nazi Plane Output Cut

London, Jan. 2 (AP).—The U. S. Eighth Air Force's bombardment of German aircraft plants had reduced the scheduled production of single engined Nazi fighters by 43 per cent last November, Maj. Gen. Frederick L. Anderson, chief of the bomber command, said today.

Nazi fighter production was believed to be increasing last year until American heavy bombers concentrated on the industry, he added.

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President's Talk Expected To Ask Unity

By Don Cook
New York Tribune Inc.

President Roosevelt was reported in high Administration quarters yesterday to be preparing an address to the most hostile Congress he has had to face in almost 11 years in office in which he will stress the need for unified support of his home front Administration while the decisive battles of 1944 unfold.

It was expected in these quarters that the President, rather than attempt direct answers to critics of his economic and other policies, will present to Congress when it reconvenes next week a report on the war as candid, revealing and strong as he can make it within the bounds of security. In this fashion, he will seek to impress upon Congress and the Nation the need for unity no matter what the cost of economic sacrifice in the face of the heaviest fighting of the war which is yet to come.

Congress reconvenes next Monday, January 10, and Mr. Roosevelt probably will go to Capitol Hill to deliver his "state of the Union" message the following day. He will speak against a background of predictions in high places that the war can be won in Europe in 1944, as well as recent assertions that strike unrest and the rail seizure have strengthened temporarily the Nazi grip on satellite Europe..

Recovering from Grip

Mr. Roosevelt was still recovering today from an attack of grip which began as a head cold last Wednesday, and has kept him in the residential quarters of the White House since that time—two days in bed.

In his last major address, delivered on Christmas Eve, the President promised that his message to Congress would include a further statement on the Teheran and Cairo conferences, as well as a discussion of conditions at home. Mr. Roosevelt is not expected to join in the fiat predictions of victory in 1944, which have come from such as Admiral Ernest J. King, commander in chief of the United States fleet, and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, who has been selected to lead the attack on western Europe. The President probably will stand by his Christmas Eve statement that victory is now assured, but his speech is nevertheless expected to chart in a great measure the course to victory.

Controversies Listed

Nevertheless, he will face a Congress which, when it adjourned December 22, was embroiled in a series of controversies endangering his entire economic policies. The issues included:

Subsidies: A coalition with a solid farm bloc nucleus had voted in the House to wipe out entirely the Administration's program of holding down food prices through a ban on price rollback subsidies. The Senate, after thrashing over the question in committee for two weeks, quit without reaching a decision on the question, the acting Senate minority leader, Senator Wallace H. White, jr., of Maine, has since expressed the opinion that Senate Republicans should compromise the issue, which probably will be done early in the new session.

Taxes: a tax bill producing roughly $2,250,000,000 has been reported out of the Senate Finance Committee for action as the first business of the new session, but already is under fire from the Administration which wanted a $10,500,000,000 bill, and is set to press its demands on the floor. However, this is one point on which Congress is deemed certain to remain adamant—especially in an election year.

Wages: a bill to abrogate an order of Fred M. Vinson, director of economic stabilization, which cut in half an 8-cent hourly wage increase granted non-operating railroad workers has passed the Senate and is in the hands of the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, but in view of the Federal seizure of the railroads it is unlikely that it will ever come out. The vote in the Senate was overwhelming, however, and support in the House had been equally strong.

Prices: The House has passed and sent to the Senate the Disney bill, granting oil producers a price increase of 35 cents a barrel on crude petroleum — an increase which had been recommended by Harold L. Ickes, petroleum administrator, but vetoed by the Office of Price Administration. This in turn has touched off demands by coal interests for an increase in coal gretaer than that already granted by OPA and an attempt to legislate such an increase also may be expected.

Soldier vote: The Administration has been fighting down the line for a universal Federal ballot for soldiers, to ease the burden of a variety of ballots from States. This was defeated in the Senate, but Republicans, through Senator White, have again come through to admit that a compromise might be the better way.

In addition, it is a presidential year, and Mr. Roosevelt is facing a Congress admittedly political in much of its thinking.

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Reds Near Border Of Prewar Poland

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NAZIS STILL BACKTRACKING—Moscow said yesterday its troops have penetrated to within 10 miles of the prewar border between Russia and Poland. Shaded area is territory in Russia held by Germans and black area is that taken by the Red army in its new advance which started last month

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the bulletin added.

The Russians were within 35 miles of the key Odessa-Warsaw railway supplying the German armies in the Dnieper bend far to the southeast. Its severance would leave the enemy only inferior escape roads leading into Rumania from Odessa, and perhaps produce a German disaster surpassing that suffered at Stalingrad.

Trayanov, a district center 12 miles below Zhitomir and only 14 from Berdichex, was among the villages captured on the te..th day of Vatutin's massive onslaught.

500,000 in Drive

The Germans said Vatutin, a tank veteran whose army smashed German lines on the Don River in last winter's blizzards, was hurling more than 500,000 men toward Rumania and Poland.

A Moscow broadcast emphasizing the demoralization of the wrecked 22 German divisionr being hammered back westward and southwestward said that "long lines of German prisoners, underfed and grey from privations and many suffering from frost bite" were being taken.

It is estimated the Russians have regained nearly 7000 square miles of territory in 10 days, inflicting the most crushing defeat on the Germans since Field Marshal Friedrich von Paulus surrendered his army of 330,000 men at Stalingrad last February 2.

Moscow said Red army tank and cavalry units were "cutting like a scythe through the German forces."

There are few large Russian cities ahead of the Red army, which was advancing as much as 17 miles daily, but, of more importance, the Russians now are reaching areas vital to any sustained German stand. They were only a few miles from the upper Bug River, the last natural German defense line short of the Dniester River border of Rumania, and there were no signs that the Germans could stop them.

Unless a strong German defense can be erected shortly the enemy's Dnieper bend forces must begin a long retreat, which would have to be carried out with the knowledge that three other powerful Red armies are poised for just such an event.

The Soviet bulletin did not give any news of the Dnieper Bend, but Berlin told of strong Russian attacks on the German bridgehead at Nikopol, and to the north of Nikopol, where it was acknowledged the Russians had "made dents" in the Nazi lines.

Invasion Due Soon, Nazis Warn People

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Eastern Front to the Western defenses.

"Competent circles believe," went on the broadcast, "that—compelled by political reasons—invasion armies which stand in readiness in southern England may hit out earlier than would seem proper for military considerations."

These "political reasons," Berlin said, were the Allies' desire to placate Moscow, which "is not satisfied with the 25 to 30 divisions engaged on the Italian front."

As a part of the propaganda to stiffen the home front for the invasion, Berlin put on a radio thriller tonight entitled "The Gigantic Fortress of the Atlantic Wall," complete with sound effects.

The announcer said its locale was a French Channel town, and identified a variety of noises as "fire from small and heavy arms, big coastal guns and hand grenade practice."

Yanks Taken, Tokyo Says

The Tokyo radio said yesterday that two American officers and two noncommissioned officers were captured December 27 after bailing out of their transport plane near Canton. The broadcast quoted one officer as saying the plane was off its course and lost.

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Light Vessels Highly Praised in Story of Scharnhorst Fight

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were stationed ahead of it, opened fire, as did the enemy, obtaining a hit on the Norfolk, killing one officer and six ratings and seriously injuring another six.

The Scharnhorst now fled to the southward with the cruisers in close pursuit. The pursuit to southward lasted all afternoon. Admiral Burnett had fleeting glimpses of the enemy and was able to keep me informed of the enemy's movements, my force coming up from the west and to the south of Burnett.

From this invaluable information I was able to decide a course on which I must steer to intercept the Scharnhorst before she got too near her base.

The stage now was set for the main action, the Scharnhorst being pursued by the cruiser force with dogged persistence and the Duke of York making all speed to intercept to maximum advantage.

During this flight the enemy altered course slightly, which enabled me to engage a little earlier than I had expected. It actually was at 1649 (4:49 p. m.) that the Duke of York, having turned to southward, parallel to the Scharnhorst, illuminated her with a star-shell at a range of just under 6 miles.

At 1650 (4:50 p. m.) the Duke of York opened fire with a broadside of her 14-inch guns, followed by her 5.25's and the Jamaica's 6-inch. Although the enemy fired a star-shell, it was not until 10 minutes later, at 1700 (5 p. m.) that she opened fire with her 11-inch on the Duke of York.

From then on until 1824 (6:24 p. m.) the Duke of York and the Scharnhorst fired at each other continuously, the latter's tactics being to fire a broadside and then turn away so that her length was hidden and only the narrow width of her beam presented as a target.

With her superior speed the Scharnhorst was gradually drawing out of effective range. Several hits had by this time been observed and one obtained at about 1860 (6:06 p. m.) succeeded in inflicting damage which by 1830 (6:30 p. m.) had reduced her speed to 20 knots.

Though the enemy fire was always accurate and the ship was straddled time and again, the Duke of York received only two minor hits which penetrated the masts.

Masterly, resolute handling of his ship by Capt. Guy Russell, who commanded the Duke of York, can have been the only reason why she was not more seriously damaged.

By 1824 (6:24 p. m.) the range had opened unduly and, as a reduction in speed had not yet become apparent, the Duke of York ceased firing, as fire could not be effective at such a distance, and the enemy did likewise.

Opens Fire at Closer Range

A few minutes later she was seen to open fire again with all her armament at a much closer target. This proved to be the destroyers of the Duke of York's screen, who had been creeping up on the Scharnhorst, waiting for a chance to get close enough to deliver a torpedo attack.

Damage inflicted by the Duke of York's gunfire by now had made itself felt and the Scharnhorst had slowed down to 20 knots. The destroyers had an opportunity which they seized with both hands.

About 1845 (6:45 p.m.) the Savage and Saumarez swept in on the starboard bow of the enemy, and the Scorpion and Stord on the port bow, under murderous fire from the Sharnhorst's guns. They pressed on indomitably, and the range was under one mile when each in turn fired torpedoes point-blank and turned away under smoke to make good their escape.

Only the Saumarez was hit and sustained damage to her upper works, one officer and 10 ratings killed and 11 ratings wounded.

At appropriate intervals at least three underwater explosions were clearly heard by the Duke of York. From then on, the fate of the Scharnhorst was sealed.

The Duke of York had been steadily gaining on her but she still was making fair speed and firing all her guns at the destroyers when, at 1901 (7:01 p. m.), the Duke of York again opened fire.

From then on she was repeatedly hit by 14-inch shells. Interior fires glowed and flashes of exploding ammunition were seen. She started to circle, her speed gradually dropping, until at 1928 (7:28 p. m.) she almost stopped steering to the north.

At 1932 (7:32 p. m.) the Duke of York ceased fire to allow the Jamaica, which had been detached for the purpose, to close in and finish her off with torpedoes.

Other Forces Join Fight

Other forces by this time were on the spot. Admiral Burnett on the Belfast, with the Norfolk, who had been engaging whenever they had the opportunity, now closed in from the northwest, and the destroyers Musketeer, Matchless, Opportune, and Virago arrived from the west, where they had been acting as guard in case the Scharnhorst broke back in that direction.

Between 1931 (7:31 p. m.) and 1940 (7:40 p. m.) the Belfast and Jamaica attacked with torpedoes from one side of the Scharnhorst and the destroyers from the other. Many hits were scored, and it is impossible to say at present what ship or ships may have fired the final shot. It can only be said that somewhere between these times she sank in position not far to the northward of North Cape.

It only remained to carry out a search of the area for survivors and other evidence of her end, and this resulted in the Matchless picking up six and the Scorpion 30 from the sea. So the action ended.

The cruisers had by their dogged pugnacity given safe conduct to the convoy and delivered the enemy to the Duke of York. The Duke of York fought the Scharnhorst hard, skilfully and well, and after being subjected to the full weight of the enemy's fire for over an hour and a half won a capital ship gun action at night.

The skilled handling of the Savage, Saumarez, Scorpion and Stord, instantly perceiving the opportunity for their audacious attack, and the gallant way in which they pressed it home under intense fire, insured the eventual destruction of the Scharnhorst.

Italian Port in Range of Big Guns

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road, and the enemy withdrew to new positions just south of the Arielli River for their next major stand. Big guns of the Eighth Army can now pump shells into Pescara.

Artillery action flamed along the entire Eighth Army front, and a vigorous new battle raged for the cross roads leading to Villa Grande and Tollo, lying west of the Canadian coastal push. The Germans still clung tenaciously to Orsogna, 11 miles southwest of Ortona.

For the first time in months, neither the tactical nor strategic air forces made any sorties, and there were only a few patrols by the coastal command.

The first disclosure that Italian bombers were in action with the Allies came in a report that the Italians had bombed the landing strip and harbor of Valona in southern Albania.

Eisenhower Bids Adieu to Veterans

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the enemy who was standing only a short distance west of Cairo. Vast Allied armadas were approaching northwest Africa in complete ignorance as to whether good fortune or complete disaster awaited them. Battered Malta was being defended only by the bravery of her almost entirely isolated garrison. No Allied ship could transit the length of the Mediterranean. Our fortunes appeared at a low ebb.

"All this was changed—by your skill, your determination and your devotion to duty. Enemy action against our convoys in the Mediterranean is limited to harassing and submarine efforts.

"You have established yourselves on the mainland of Europe. You are still advancing."

"You, along with other Allied forces fighting on many fronts, have already achieved the certainty that, provided every soldier, sailor and airman and every citizen of our homelands continues incessantly to do his full duty, victory will be ours.

"Altogether you comprise a mighty fighting machine which under your new commander will continue as a completely unified instrument of war to make further inroads into the enemy's defenses and assist in bringing about his final collapse.

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$16,656,528 War Advertising in U.S. Newspapers

New York, Jan. 2 (AP).—United States daily and Sunday newspapers published $16,656,528 worth of advertising in support of the war effort during August, September and October, a survey by the Bureau of Advertising of the American Newspaper Publishers Association showed today.

Thirty-six different war projects, ranging from the last war bond drive to the stocking salvage drive were supported by the newspaper ad campaigns.

Representing 49 per cent of the total war advertising spending was the war bond drive which totaled $8,156,925. Second was the "don't telephone" campaign on which $1,474,974 was spent, and third was the national war fund drive, backed by $1,092,159 worth of ads.

The bureau pointed out that the three months' total included in the survey represented advertising space alone, and no attempt was made to evaluate the tremendous bulk of editorial space devoted to the promotion of war projects.

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Chiang Asserts U. S. Backs Plan on Japs

Purge of Military Clique Approved At Cairo Parleys

Chungking, Jan. 2 (AP).—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek told the Chinese army and people today that President Roosevelt fully approved at Cairo the generalissimo's ideas that "all Japanese militarists must be wiped out, and that the Japanese political system purged of every vestige of aggressive elements."

In a New Year's message, the Chinese President said the American President also favored Chiang's belief that if the Japanese people revolt and overthrow their militarist government, "we should respect their spontaneous will and allow them to choose their own form of government."

The Soviet Union Chiang continued, "consistently hoped that China would succeed in her national reconstruction program and enjoy independence and freedom."

Pressure on Japanese

The Cairo decision to bring increasing pressure to bear upon Japan "will soon be carried into action," he said, adding that the task of encircling the Japanese on the Asiatic mainland would fall primarily on Chinese shoulders.

"In her defensive war, Japan will have to make the China theater her last line of defense where she will make her last, most stubborn stand.

"We and our Allies are preparing for an all-out offensive."

The year 1943 was the turning point in the titanic World War, the generalissimo said, with the Americans playing a significant role in turning the tide, and the fate of the Axis partners was sealed.

"This coming year will see the beginning of the decisive stage when the land, sea and air forces of the United Nations will carry the war to Japan's home island and to all the seas surrounding her," he declared.

Praise for America

While the concerted efforts of the Allies have been to a considerable extent responsible for sealing the fate of Japan and Germany in 1943 when the initiative passed into Allied hands, "there is a more important factor to be considered. This lies in the traditional love for democracy and freedom of the American people who treat all peoples of the world as their equals.

"Their broadmindedness and farsightedness have led the American Government to adopt a just, enlightened world policy and to translate that policy into action with success."

Chiang disclosed a hitherto unrevealed phase of the Cairo conference when he said:

"We agreed upon the question of the disposal of the enemy after the war.

"One important problem in this connection concerns Japan's form of government. When President Roosevelt asked my views, I frankly replied, 'It is my opinion that all Japanese militarists must be wiped out and the Japanese political system must be purged of every vestige of aggressive elements. As to what form of government Japan should adopt, that question can better be left to the awakened and repentent Japanese people to decide for themselves.'

Approval of Roosevelt

"I also said 'if the Japanese people should rise in revolution to punish their war mongers and overthrow their militarists' government, we should respect their spontaneous will and allow them to choose their own form of government.' Mr. Roosevelt fully approved of my idea.

"I may tell you that the deepest impressions I have of President Roosevelt are of his unflinching faith, his firm determination to emancipate all the world's oppressed peoples and his sincere desire to help China become a truly free and independent nation.

"His basic policy is the attainment of real peace in the world and genuine equality among men, and he thinks that in such a future world as he visualizes China must be one of the pillars. This spirit of his arises from his innate love of justice and righteousness and his policy is based upon peaceful relations, of mutual trust between the American and Chinese peoples during the past 160 years."

Wheeler Willing To Seek Policy Plan

Senator Wheeler (Democrat) of Montana expressed willingness yesterday to join in efforts to find a common ground for settlement of basic differences on foreign policy in Congress.

"I am willing to join with any group interested in trying to work out a sane, sensible policy to maintain world peace and yet protect the postwar interests of the American people," Wheeler, outspoken critic of Administration prewar foreign policy, told a reporter.

Liquor Held Back, WCTU Head Charges

The liquor industry is hoarding more than 20 million gallons of alcoholics beverages from the trade in an attempt to force the Government to permit distillation of new products, it was charged yesterday by Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith, National Women's Christian Temperance Union president.

She said that less than half the normal amount of whisky is being released and that while 43,286,911 gallons were withdrawn during the third quarter of 1942, only 21,584,634 gallons were released during the same period of 1943.

More Coming

Reds' Paper Defends War Guilt Trials

Moscow, Jan. 2 (AP).—The Soviet trade journal, War and the Working Class, today replied to foreign criticism of the Kharkov war criminal trials and asserted this would be "only one of the first blows inflicted upon the hideous Fascist beast."

The journal intimated there soon would be further trials similar to those last month, in which three German soldiers and a Russian traitor were condemned for atrocities in the occupation of Kharkov.

The magazine scolded the British newspaper, the Yorkshire Post, for suggesting prosecution be put off until after the war, and said, "It would be a good idea for them to take into consideration that true demands for the immediate trial of Hitlerite savages fulfill the lawful rights of nations and are in accordance with international law."

The Manchester Guardian also was reproved for saying the Russians were acting in their own way by the trials.

"Soviet law is taking its own path to the same extent that the heroic Red Army is taking its path that is in complete unity with the Allies," said the magazine.

It agreed that the fourth convention of The Hague of 1907, providing humane treatment for prisoners of war should be followed "but this does not mean by any means that men in service can evade trial for hideous crimes and does not give them amnesty for all they did before becoming prisoners."

GOP Supports Woman's Party Amendment

Republican members of Congress assured the National Woman's Party in New Year messages made public yesterday that the equal rights amendment will have "great influence" in the national election this year, culminating in victory for the 20-year-old campaign.

Many members have pledged themselves to sign a petition to bring the amendment directly to the floor of the House.

Representative Joseph W Martin, jr., of Massachusetts, House minority leader, recalled that the Republican Party first wrote an equal rights proviso in its 1940 party platform and added "the Republican Party is supporting this legislation as a party measure in Congress."

The National Woman's Party emphasized that the Republican Party had thus established itself as "the friend of women" and pointed out significantly, that the women's vote this year will "far outnumber the male vote" and predicted that with the economic problems of women rising out of the war, special emphasis will be given to the equal rights amendment.

Cites Kentucky Upset

Representative John M. Robsion (Republican) of Kentucky, member of the House Judiciary Committee who led his party in the fight to report the amendment favorably to the floor, cited the recent political upset in his own State as significant of the Republican trend throughout the Nation. He said:

"When 9 of the 11 Republican members and only 2 of the 16 Democratic members voted to report the equal rights amendment favorably, women realized that they can depend on the Republican Party to carry out their promise made in 1940 to submit the amendment to the States.

"I would suggest that the Democratic women direct their efforts to trying to convince our Democratic brethren on the committee to support this resolution if they wish to overcome the handicap of already established Republican friendship."

Predict G. O. P. Victory

Paralleling the Kentuckian's statement are similar New Year messages from New England, the Middle West and the Far West. Confidence in a Republican victory, largely led by the women, permeates them all.

"I predict," said Representative Homer D. Angell (Republican) of Oregon, "that 1944 will see the return to power of the Republican Party which extended suffrage to women and which included in its 1940 platform a plank urging Congress to submit to the States an amendment giving all Americans equality of rights under the law. The recent vote in the Judiciary Committee when 9 out of 11 Republicans and only 2 of the 16 Democrats voted in favor of the amendment, points to a speedy victory for the amendment when the Republicans are in power."

Other Republican Representatives who promised their help in getting the amendment acted upon were Stephan A. Day and Charles S. Dewey, both of Illinois; Margaret Chase Smith of Maine, and Bertrand W. Gearhart of California.

Washington Woman Sponsors Big Lighter

San Diego, Calif., Jan. 2 (AP).—The first of 25 Army lighters being built for use in the South Pacific as mobile warehouses with 2000 tons' carrying capacity, was launched today by Concrete Ship Constructors of nearby National City.

Mrs. John Vasta, Washington, D. C., wife of the chief of the concrete section, Maritime Commission, sponsored the craft.

War's Over for These Nazis

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

AND THEY'RE HUNGRY—Germans captured in Italy dig into their first meal behind American lines. They were taken prisoner in the fighting in the mountainous country east of Cassino

Marine Officer Saved After 7 Days Adrift

Somewhere in the South Pacific (Delayed) (AP).—Second Lieut. Kenneth Du Val of Laverne, Okla., 20-year-old Marine Corps fighter pilot, recently was rescued by an Allied vessel after drifting for seven days on a life raft in the South Pacific.

He was forced out of his plane during a storm off Bougainville Island, in the Solomons.

Falling into the sea between Choiseul and Bougainville Islands, Du Val inflated his life raft and used his rubber poncho as a sail to carry him toward Choiseul.

"It wasn't until I was several miles off shore," he related, "that I realized that the Japs still held the northern portion of the island, and that I'd have to wait until dark before attempting to go ashore."

Takes Stock of Food

Taking stock of his food, Second Lieutenant Du Val found one can of meat, two chocolate bars, and two cans of water.

"The next morning," he said, "a flight of Marine torpedo planes spotted me. But later on, when a flying boat came to pick me up, the Japs opened up on it from the shore. It had to leave without touching the water."

Later a Jap plane came out looking for him, probably with the intention of machine-gunning him.

"The pilot passed within 300 feet of me," he said, "and I thought he was going on when he banked sharply and I knew he was coming down.

"'I jumped out of the raft, turned it over and got under. Its bottom is dark and I prayed that the Jap wouldn't be able to distinguish it from the water. I heard him flying around for about 30 minutes, but he never saw me."

On the third day, Du Val sailed down the Choiseul coast and went within a mile of Sambi Point, Tying his raft to his back, he tried to swim ashore.

"But the wind was against me," he said, "and the tide was going out. So, after three hours, I was exhausted and got back into the raft."

The next morning the wind had blown Du Val 20 miles off the Choiseul coast and was still carrying him south. He made no attempt to change his course, thinking he would be carried on to friendly Vella La Vella.

"For about a day and a half," he said, "as the wind moved me down west of Vella La Vella—instead of to it, as I'd hoped—I saw planes passing overhead, but none saw me."

About 10 o'clock in the morning of the seventh day, Du Val sighted a ship barely above the horizon. He made a reflector by scraping the bottom of his canteen cup bright with his knife. He was sighted about an hour later and the ship changed course to pick him up.

"I've never been so happy in my life," Du Val said. "I felt like jumping up and down and screaming, but I was too weak to do it."

Having been sitting in the boat for so long, Du Val lost consciousness as soon as he stood up on the deck.

Three days later he was back on duty, showing only a bit of severe sunburn for his adventure.

America Launches First Vessel for New French Navy

Philadelphia, Jan. 2 (AP).—The destroyer escort Senegalais, the United States' first contribution to the new French Navy, was commissioned today in a colorful ceremony at the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

The tricolor went aloft to the strains of the Marsellaise, after Rear Admiral M. F. Draemel, commandant of the yard and of the Fourth Naval District, in a presentation address hailed the Senegalais as "a symbol of the determination of both France and America to fight until victory is ours."

Vice Admiral Raymond Fenard, head of the French naval mission in the United States, accepted the vessel.

A recording of the program was taken by the Office of War Information for short wave broadcasting to French territories throughout the world.

U-Boat Actions

4 D. C. Area Navy Heroes Decorated

Award of decorations to four Washington area Navy officers and of a recommendation to an Army enlisted man were announced yesterday.

Receiving medals from Secretary of Navy Knox were Capt. W. G. Schindler, 3521 South Utah st., Arlington, who was decorated with the Silver Star; Capt. Edmund T. Woolridge, 3555 South Stafford st., Alington, presented with the Distinguished Service Medal; Lieut. Comdr. Carl Eugene Jones, 4209 32d st. s. Arlington, and Capt. Stuart Iingersoll, 17 Forest Hill rd., Alexandria, who both received the Legion of Merit.

Technician Honored

Technician Grade 5 Sidney C. Katzenell, 1617 E st., with the Twelfth Air Support Command, was commended for his behavior during the battle for Gela, Sicily.

Captain Schindler, now on duty in the Bureau of Ordnance, received his decoration for conspicuous gallantry while a gunnery officer of a task force operating in the Pacific theater for the first 10 months of the war. He participated in engagements at Salamaua and Lae, the Coral Sea, Midway, Gaudalcanal, and took part in the first battle of the Solomon Islands.

The Distinguished Service Cross was awarded to Captain Wooldridge for service in combating enemy submarines in the Atlantic.

He is now on duty in the Bureau of Naval Personnel.

Captain Ingersoll, commanding officer of the Anacostia Naval Air station, also was cited for anti-submarine activity in the Atlantic.

For U-Boat Exploits

Lieutenant Commander Jones got his award for "exceptionally meritorious" conduct as the commanding officer of composite Squadron One, stationed aboard the USS Card, which attacked enemy submarines, sinking all but one of the raiders. The squadron recently received a presidential unit citation.

Technician Katzenell, a member of a signal air warning battalion attached to a fighter wing, was commended for entering uncleared minefield and aiding in the defense of Gela. The principal task of the battalion which has accompanied assault forces on the invasions of Gela and Salerno, is to provide warnings of impending raids by enemy aircraft.

U. S. Airfield 250 Miles From Rabaul Ready

With United States Forces on Bougainville, Jan. 2.—A 6500-foot field for light and medium bombers, within less than 250 miles of Rabaul and only 850 miles from Japan's mighty naval base of Truk, is in operation today in these northern Solomons.

The airfield, at the base of the fuming volcano, Mount Bagana, was carved out of the heaviest of jungles and was dedicated Christmas Day.

Called Piva Field after the river village of that name, it is the second field to be established on the expanding United States beachhead which United States Marines first won November 1 with a landing at Empress Augusta Bay on Bougainville's west central coast. The Torokina fighter field of 4200 feet, superimposed on a swamp, has been used since December 12.

Can Screen Bombers

Torokina has been dispatching fighter planes for the first time in sweeps over Rabaul. Now they can screen bombers flying from Piva, a mere aerial skip and jump from Rabaul. The Piva field is the nearest one of the Allies to Truk in the Carolines.

The building of Piva was accomplished with heroics and utter disregard of danger. Once tractors were leveling ground within a few feet of where a bomb disposal crew, under Marine Lieut. Ed Curry of Boston, Mass., was supervising the digging up of a string of Japanese duds or time bombs.

Again a Japanese patrol harassing the Seabees got so close to the field that a Seabee was captured.

Work Ahead of Lines

When Seabee surveyors started laying out the field, they actually worked for several days beyond our lines.

As they returned from work they would chide the Marines:

"If you guys don't hurry up and take that country, we'll have the field finished before you get there."

The Bougainville fields put dive-bombers and torpedo planes within reach of Rabaul. This is of special significance, since that Japanese navy base never has been hit by land-based planes of this type, so deadly against naval craft.

The Piva field was ready for bombers less than six weeks after the Seabees broke ground. The toughest job was in pushing roads through the swamps to it, often under Japanese fire. Once that was accomplished, the clearing, grading and surfacing proceeded swiftly.

How British Sub 'Captured' Eight Italian Cargo Vessels

A North Britain Port, Jan. 2 (AP). Officers of the British submarine Unrivalled, arriving at their home port for the first time in a year, told today how the undersea craft rounded up eight Italian merchant ships after the Italian armistice, sank a $72,000 enemy payroll and rescued two surprised Australian airmen.

When hostilities with Italy ceased, the Unrivalled was on patrol off Bari and the commander, Lieut. H. B. Turner, decided to contact the Italian authorities in that port and demand that all available shipping sail for Allied harbors.

"We stalked and boarded a trawler," said Turner, "and I put one of my officers on board to take a message to the senior naval officer in Bari. Hostages from the trawler were retained as we were taking no risks at that early stage of the armistice.

"An Italian admiral came on board the submarine. A convoy conference was arranged, but it never was held as the possibility of a German attack forced me to leave the harbor. A motley collection of merchant shipping quickly assembled, however, and so the passage to Malta commenced. Four days later, the Unrivalled arrived in Malta with eight ships in her charge."

Earlier the submarine added a chapter to the annals of lost treasure by sinking a merchant ship carrying pay to an enemy minesweeping flotilla.

Nazis Claim Capture of Adriatic Isle

London, Jan. 2 (AP).—The German command today claimed the capture of Mijet, Adriatic island off Yugoslavia's Dalmatian coast, in a renewed flurry of Nazi amphibious activity reflecting Germany's anxiety over possible Allied invasion of the western Balkans.

On the Yugoslav mainland, however, a communique said Partisan Leader Josip (Tito) Broz's guerilla armies continued to stand off powerful Nazi forces in bitter battles raging in Hercegovina, Bosnia and Montenegro.

Tito denied Nazi claims of the capture of the central Bosnian towns of Jajce, which has been identified as Tito's headquarters, and Bugojno. The Yugoslavs said German forces still were 44 miles away.

The mystery concerning the whereabouts of King Peter, Yugoslavia's youthful exiled monarch, was cleared by a Cairo dispatch that said he had spent two days at an RAF training station qualifying as an RAF pilot.

The dispatch said the young King wished to wear RAF wings instead of the Yugoslav insignia which might have been regarded merely as a courtesy award. He is back in Cairo.

Mijet lies about 170 miles almost due east across the Adriatic from the Italian coast where the British Eighth Army is pushing slowly forward against German mountain positions beyond Ortona.

It is about 15 miles southeast of Korcula, another east-central Adriatic island which the Germans claimed to have occupied last week.

Today's Berlin broadcast said that Mijet capitulated after "Communist resistance was broken," and that other German light naval forces went on to shell Logosta, former Italian island between Mijet and Korcula. The Germans evidently were engaged in a methodical campagin to cut off Tito's Balkan front from his Allied base of supplies in Italy.

Flying Fortress Explodes, Kills 13 Near Sacramento

Sacramento, Calif., Jan. 2 (AP).—Thirteen Army fliers were killed today when a B-17 Flying Fortress, headed for Los Angeles from McChord Field, Tacoma, Wash., exploded at 3000 feet over McClellan Field.

Thousands of Sacramentans, startled by a terrific explosion, looked skyward and saw the burning four-motored bomber emerge from the overcast and fall.

Only one of the crew escaped, parachuting to safety. He was Maj. James H. Wergen of Kingman Field, Ariz.

The plane went to pieces in the air as it fell, scattering a wingtip, one of its motors and other parts over a vast area.

Bomber Crashes in Iowa

Hornick, Iowa, Jan. 2 (AP).—An Army bomber crashed on a farm a mile east of here today, and rescue workers reported that parts of seven bodies had been recovered.

Censorship Urged On Mail to Troops From Homefolk

Philadelphia, Jan. 2 (AP).—Letters to as well as from men on the fighting fronts should be censored, Andy Arcari, Philadelphia musician, said today after returning from a 35,000-mile tour of New Guinea and Australia.

Arcari, who made the tour with screen stars Gary Cooper, Phyllis Brooks and Una Merkle, said he met men "packed 20 at a time in foxholes built for four—yet the home folks write them letters complaining about crowded wartime trolleys."

Nazis Drop Pretense in France And Back Laval for Crackdown

Madrid, Jan. 2 (AP).—The Germans, abandoning all pretense, intend to "crackdown" on the southern zone of France with Pierre Laval as their agent, letting old Marshal Petain resign or remain as chief of state as he pleases, Paris dispatches indicated today.

The dispatches, written from Paris under German censorship, said Vichy henceforth would be "more Germanophile."

Increased frontier restrictions on the German side of the Pyrenees prevented any further direct details of clashes between Vichy's heavily-armed militia and anti-German elements in France.

A Paris dispatch to Arriba said, however, that delay in filling the Vichy "cabinet" jobs of ministers of state, interior, justice, education and industrial production was due mainly to the necessity of hunting for men to take the places.

This dispatch said Laval intended to fill these posts with men who "will show recalcitrants and seditious persons abroad that the old Republican parties are with Vichy."

It implied that the Germans intended to take over the Vichy regime through Laval and integrate it completely into the "European bloc which Germany directs."

D. C. Woman Sponsors New Sub Baya

Groton, Conn., Jan. 2 (AP).—The Baya, dubbed the "Happy New Year" submarine by its builders, slid down the Electric Boat Co.'s ways into the Thames River today.

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12 Federal Bank Heads Reappointed

Board of Governors Announces Annual Designations, Appointments

The board of governors of the Federal Reserve System announced yesterday the reappointment for 1944 of the incumbent chairmen of the 12 Federal Reserve banks.

The annual designations and appointments at the Federal Reserve banks and branches included many present officials, and some new appointees.

Among the new appointees are the following:

Douglas W. Brooks, Memphis, Tenn., who has been a class C director of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis since January 1, 1940, was appointed deputy chairman for the year 1944. Brooks is president of the Newburger Co., Memphis.

William H. Stead, St. Louis, was appointed a class C director of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis for a three-year term beginning January 1, 1944. Stead is dean of the School of Business and Public Administration, Washington University, St. Louis.

Parten Appointed

J. R. Parten, Houston, Tex., was appointed a class C director of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas for a three-year term beginning January 1, 1944, and deputy chairman for the year 1944. He is president of the Woodley Petroleum Co., Houston.

Harry R. Wellman, Berkeley, Calif., who has been a class C director of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco since October 27, 1942, was appointed deputy chairman for the year 1944. Wellman is director of the Giannini Foundation of Agricultural Economics and is professor of agricultural economics, University of California, Berkeley.

Robins Named

Thomas Robins, jr., Buffalo, N. Y., was appointed a director of the Buffalo branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York for a three-year term beginning January 1, 1944. Robins is president of the Hewitt Rubber Corp., Buffalo.

Malcolm E. Holtz, Great Falls, Mont., was appointed a director of the Helena branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis for a two-year term beginning January 1, 1944. He is engaged in farming.

George A. Slaughter, Wharton, Tex., was appointed a director of the Houston branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas for a three-year term beginning January 1, 1944. Slaughter is engaged in farming.

Henry A. Dixon, Ogden, Utah, was appointed a director of the Salt Lake City branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco for a two-year term beginning January 1, 1944. Dixon is president of Weber College, Ogden.

Threat to Polish-Soviet Relations Feared in Premier's Visit

By Geoffrey Parsons, Jr.
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London, Jan. 2.—The visit to America later this month of the Polish Prime Minister Stanislow Mikolajzyk is bound inevitably to give weight to complicating factor in Allied efforts to mend Polish-Soviet relations, in the opinion of diplomatic observers in London.

Official Polish circles declare emphatically that their government has neither the intention nor desire to take advantage of the fact that the United States is having a presidential election this year by making Russo-Polish relations a campaign issue. It is agreed, nevertheless, even among many Poles in London that the Polish government counts heavily on American sympathy for their case in the frontier dispute with the Soviet government, and it expects this sympathy to be the strongest among Americans of Polish descent, Americans of a central European background and among American Roman Catholics.

Plans for the Polish Prime Minister's visit call for a very short stay in the United States. His avowed purpose is to lay Poland's case before President Roosevelt, Secretary of State Cordell Hull and leaders of Congress.

Since what may be called "The central European vote" in the United States is calculated roughly at 10,000,000, it may be assumed that American politicians will allow their consideration of the very knotty problem of Polish-Russian frontiers to be affected at least in some degree by the size of the vote involved.

In some quarters here therefore, it is feared that the Presidential campaign may thus turn out to be the decisive factor in determining American policy toward the problem of Poland's future, a problem already sufficiently complex.

There have been several recent conversations in London between the British Foreign Secretary, Anthony Eden, and Mikolajzyk and Thaddeus Romer, Polish Foreign Minister, since Mr. Eden's return from Cairo and Teheran, but no visible improvement in Polish-Soviet relations has been forthcoming; diplomatic relations are still suspended and there are frequent disputes between the Polish underground dominated by the Poles and that guided from Moscow.

New Device Checks Polio Treatment

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 2 (AP).—Dr. R. Plato Schwartz, associate professor of orthopedic surgery at the University of Rochester, today announced development of a device to check and record effectiveness of treatment of infantile paralysis.

The device, designed by Dr. Schwartz and Arthur L. Heath, research associate, records variations on an asciliograph through tiny amounts of electicity produced by muscle contractions.

"This is not a method on diagnosis or treatment," Dr. Schwartz said. "It is a means of check on methods of treatment. Without such a check we cannot know first how much improvement has been effected and whether there still are some limitations in the end-result, which might have been overcome by alteration of treatment."

Grew Will Address District Teachers

Joseph C. Grew, former United States Ambassador to Japan, will speak on "The People of Japan" Thursday night at the opening of a lecture series entitled "Introducing the Peoples of the Far East" to be given for District teachers in the New Interior Building Auditorium.

Among others scheduled to speak is Sir George Sansom, formerly commercial counselor in the British Embassy at Tokyo, who will be heard anuary 24.

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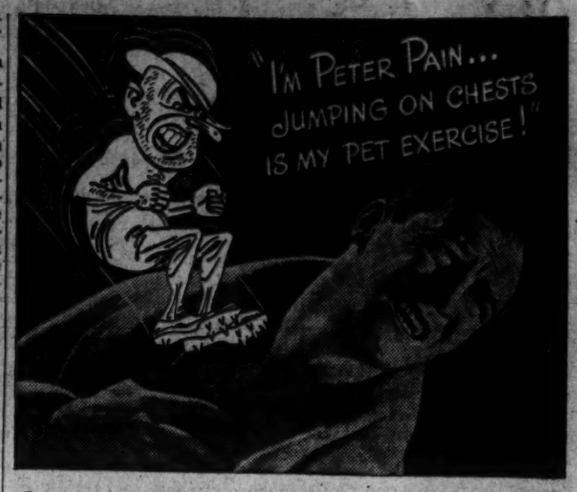

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Marine Bands Not All Show, Leader Says

Life in a Southwest Pacific Marine Band isn't all flashy uniforms, gleaming instruments and cheering crowds—take it from mud-spattered Leon Brusiloff, former Washington orchestra leader, now a major.

To those whose conception of Marine bandsmen is drawn strictly from the movies, Brusiloff notes: "That's what you think. Look at us now."

He, with several other musicians stationed in that area, including Cornetist Karl Rhone of 2725 22d st. ne., packed away those musical instruments before entering the combat area and substituted guns and shovels. On New Britain, they recently had the task of guarding and policing the command post.

Brusiloff, as a civilian, directed several musical units throughout Washington. He enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1940 and developed and instructed the Fifth Battalion Band. His home is at 821 Larry pl., Chevy Chase, Md.

WMC May Use War Prisoners to Cut Pulpwood

Chicago, Jan. 2 (AP).—A "back-to-the-woods" program which includes the use of 1200 prisoners of war to cut pulp wood in the upper peninsula of Michigan may result in enough pulp paper to relieve both the newsprint and paperboard carton shortage, William H. Spencer, regional director of the War Manpower Commission, said yesterday.

The program, already under way, also enlists the help from several hundred lake seamen and some 2000 former loggers who have left off-season jobs to return to work in Wisconsin and Michigan woods and paper mills, Spencer said. The plan was conceived jointly by Spencer and Robert Goodwin, director of the WMC in the Cleveland area, and was promoted through a recruiting campaign by the United States Employment Service.

Goodwin reported he had Army approval for use of 400 war prisoners immediately and an additional 800 within a month or two in northern Michigan and along the Wisconsin border.

Ames Stevens Named OPA Price Consultant

Ames Stevens, treasurer of the Ames Worsted Company, Lowell, Mass., has been appointed by the Office of Price Administration as chief consultant to the consumer goods price division on problems concerning wool, it was announced yesterday.

Stevens formerly was deputy chief of the wool branch of the textile, clothing and leather division of the War Production Board.

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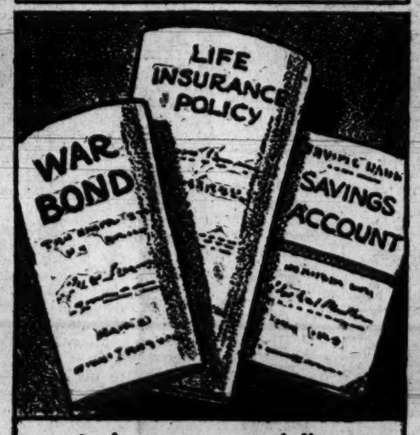

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6. Follow the ration rules and price ceilings.
7. Cooperate with our Government's wage stabilization program.

You can see how each of these seven points helps to hold the line against runaway prices. Some make sure that our idle money goes into safe places—War Bonds, savings, life insurance—where it cannot bid up prices of scarce goods. Others remind us to "play ball" with the ration rules and price ceilings. And if we all do these things we will be doing our part—to hold down the cost of the war. And—we help to make sure that our Post War World will be the world of our hopes come true.

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Japs Fear Thrust By U. S. to Kuriles

Might Be Alibi If They Abandon Base at Rabaul

By International News Service

Reports from the Pacific yesterday indicated that Japan's defense strategy in the New Britain area is being influenced by fears of a possible American thrust into the Kurile Islands from the Aleutians.

The Japanese general staff, in any case, appears to be laying the groundwork for an alibi, based upon the threat of an American invasion of the Kuriles, to be used in the event that early abandonment of Rabaul cannot be avoided.

This is one of the interpretations which has been placed upon the Tokyo announcement, via Berlin, that the United States is making large-scale offensive preparations in the Aleutians and Alaska.

American Striking Force

The American North Pacific striking force, said Tokyo, includes aircraft carriers and cruisers, large numbers of bombing planes, and six divisions of troops with parachutists, tanks and other motorized equipment.

Ever since they were driven out of the Aleutians four and a half months ago, the Japanese have been aware that sooner or later the United States would attempt to seize a base in the 700-mile-long Kurile chain on the short route to Tokyo. Now, hard-pressed in the southwest Pacific, they evidently fear that the United States might choose to strike simultaneously in the north.

In the Southwest Pacific, under Gen. Douglas MacArthur's pressure, the Japanese position becomes daily more critical, and the liquidation of Rabaul may come sooner than had been expected.

Neutralization of Rabaul, keystone of Japan's south Pacific front, had been effected by air bombardment even before American forces captured the Cape Gloucester airfield, only 280 miles from Rabaul on the western end of New Britain island.

In Reach of Rabaul

American bombers, operating from this field, can easily complete the destruction of the Rabaul installations if the Japanese want to hang on there, but Gloucester's position is of even greater strategic importance. It is only 270 miles south of Japan's reserve base at Kavieng, New Ireland, and less than a thousand miles from the Caroline Islands naval establishments, including Truk.

With American Flying Fortresses and Liberators within bombing distance of Truk, and with Kavieng seriously menaced, the value of Rabaul to the Japanese is declining rapidly to zero.

Some quarters in Washington have believed the Japanese, when the crisis came, would evacuate Rabaul without a serious defense. The arrival of 400 ocean-going barges at Rabaul harbor during the past few days suggested that a decision to withdraw the bulk of the Japanese garrison already had been taken, but the Japanese purpose is not yet clear. The barges may be intended for some new defensive maneuver.

Base Pacific Pivot

It is pointed out that Emperor Hirohito has insisted that Rabaul, as a pivot for South Pacific operations, must be held because its loss would decisively affect the development of Japan's "greater east Asia co-prosperity sphere."

If the Japanese do not attempt to reinforce Rabaul for a last-ditch stand, it will mark a reversal of the recently expressed promise of the Japanese government to its people that steps will be taken to avoid further suicidal defenses, such as that at Tarawa.

Whatever the real intentions of the Japanese command with regard to Rabaul, it is clear that they cannot make out a good case for the necessity of retreat on that front if they emphasize the dangers of an American offensive across the North Pacific into the Kuriles.

Japan's Paramushiro naval base, in the northern Kuriles, is only 765 miles from the westernmost American base at Attu in the Aleutians, and the enemy establishments in the Paramushiro area already have been raided four times by American bombers operating from the Aleutians. An air base in the Kuriles would place these bombers within 1300 miles of Tokyo.

War Goal Won

Steel Men Optimistic Over 1944

Cleveland, Jan. 2 (AP).—At the threshold of 1944, the steel industry "faces a vastly different prospect from that presented at the beginning of 1943," the magazine Steel said today.

"Then a goal had been set which seemed all but out of reach, but it has been met in substantially all details, and the situation is well in hand, with prospects of return to some lines of civilian production within a short time," the publication added.

Situation Eased

"So much has the situation eased, that the War Production Board has been able to loosen some of the controls deemed essential to fullest utilization of resources for the war effort. Further progress in a return toward normal is promised as conditions warrant."

Steel said that while higher prices of steel are regarded as a distinct possibility in view of the pressure of labor for higher wages, the prospect is having little effect on demand.

"Orders are based on prices in effect at time of delivery and as producers are booked from several weeks to several months ahead most consumers believe that if changes are made they will be completed before orders now placed can be shipped," the magazine said. "Further, with wage increases to be made retroactive, price increases resulting from them also should be retroactive."

Production Reduced

Steel reported that last week's work stoppages reduced production below that of Christmas week, with loss in output estimated at about 125,000 tons of ingots. Production fell to 91½ per cent of capacity last week, against 93 per cent for the week ended December 25.

By districts, Chicago advanced four points to 96 per cent, eastern Pennsylvania six to 96, New England five to 95, Pittsburgh four to 94, and Buffalo three to 86. Youngstown declined five points to 75 per cent, St. Louis four to 85½, Wheeling 15 to 79, Detroit 19 to 64, Cincinnati 15 to 77, and Cleveland 24 to 60.

Japs Counting Chickens Before They're Smashed

New York, Jan. 2 (AP).—The Japanese today turned in a beguiling description of a fine new world after the war—when rocket-driven Tokyo-Berlin express trains will glide along the "celing of the world."

As recorded by OWI, a Tokyo broadcast said locomotives driven "partly by propellers and probably also by rockets" will speed along a new railroad, passing through a tunnel under the Sea of Japan, traversing plains, deserts, mountains and marshes, crossing the Pamir Plateau, "the ceiling of the worlld," and finally connecting with the Berlin-Baghdad Railroad.

"However great the difficulties may be, the benefits to be derived from such a line can easily be imagined," the broadcast concluded.

Grin And Bear It

By Lichty

"They got any out-of-town newspapers over at the canteen, Mac?—This guy wants a copy of the VOELKISCHER BEOBACHTER."

60 D. C. Men to Be Inducted Today

Sixty Washington men will report for duty tomorrow with the armed services, District Selective Service headquarters announced yesterday.

Thirty-eight men, inducted December 14, will go to the Army. They are:

Austin T. Jones, Hyman Halpern, Richard E. Hawes, Horace A. Higdon, Carroll W. Fleener, Walton W. Cushman, Michael N. Scarpelli, Arthur B. Johanson, Muscoe R. Pace, Michael J. Bartolomeo, Edward D. Kremb, Erwin H. Faller, Michael G. Dyak, Wesley A. Crowder, Jr., Earl F. Owens.

Santa R. Di Silvestri, Ralph T. Hall, Juluis Turkenitz, John J. Coyne, Edwin W. Guilford, Norman Sue, Joseph H. Rumsley, Arnold M. Rose, Emory W. Swink, John F. Kirtley, Maynard Gertler, Allan Jewelet, William F. Ryan, George M. Burke, James K. Bohanan, Cecil H. Rennoe, Joseph E. Smith, J. Wesley Smith.

Johnson C. Whitted, Wylie Hartsell, Hobart E. Dodson, Louis C. Williams, Ernest Leach, Negroes.

The following 16 Negroes, inducted December 28, will go to the Navy:

John R. Huff, Kermit A. Woodward, Augustus C. Johnson, William H. Boyd, James K. Williams, Cicero J. Frazier, Samuel A. Jackson, Paul H. Miller, Fred D. Anton, Edward Gaskins, Willie R. Hamer, Mobile C. Galery, Roy Sims, Robert E. Harris, R. C. Rhodes, Grover C. Cox.

Six men, inducted December 21, will report to the Marine Corps. They are:

William C. Beall, Remole J. Cardinale, Harold De Voe, Earl R. Scarborough, John W. Jameson, Robert G. David.

Two District Men Get Army Promotions

Two Washington area men have received promotions, the War Department announced yesterday.

New ranks were listed for Joseph Matthew Santoro of 305 Fontaine st., Alexandria, captain to major, and Frank Fortunato of 212 South Ivy st., Arlington, first lieutenant to captain.

Food for 1944 To Equal 1943, Hartford Says

New York, Jan. 2 (AP).—John A. Hartford, president of the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., said today he felt the 1944 food supply would equal or exceed the near record of 1943.

He urged continued effort to eliminate waste of food which he said was currently costing the Nation approximately 20 per cent of its total food production.

"While it is impossible to predict with any certainty what the new year will bring," he said, "certain factors in the current picture indicate that food production should hold up in 1944:

"1. Greater acreage will be planted, with an estimated 380 million acres under production in 1944 as compared with 364 million last year.

"2. Improvement in the farm machinery picture is in sight. Steel and cast iron have been allocated for the manufacture of 80 per cent as much farm machinery as in 1940 or 1941—much more than in 1943.

"3. More fertilizer will be available. Nitrogen supplies will be about 33 per cent larger and superphosphate supplies up 20 per cent, with only potash falling off about 10 per cent.

"4. More nearly normal weather conditions should result in increased yield."

Hartford said consumers had healthful food and plenty of it in 1943 although they didn't have all the variety they wanted.

"The Nation's per capita consumption of all foods in 1943 was approximately 5 per cent above the 1934-49 level and was richer in essential nutrients," he added.

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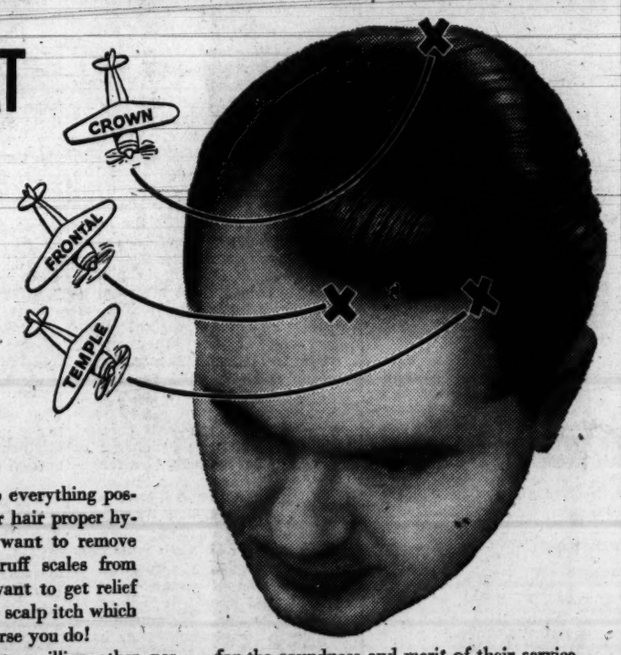

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Embarrassing Vacancy

The hubbub over alleged privileges granted to Orman Ewing at the District Jail has had at least one beneficial result. It has directed attention to the fact that the District now has no full-time superintendent of penal institutions. Ray L. Huff held this position until he was appointed to succeed Conrad Van Hyning as director of public welfare. Since that time most of his energy has necessarily been given to the onerous task of administering the District's welfare system. Yet no superintendent of penal institutions has been appointed to take his place.

Each of these positions calls for the full time and energy of an able administrator. It is not reasonable to suppose that Mr. Huff can fill both of them satisfactorily. Yet the Board of Public Welfare is permitting him to serve in this dual capacity. When the question of lax discipline at the jail arose, moreover, the board directed Mr. Huff to investigate the situation. In effect he was asked to investigate laxity that must be related to his own inability to fill two big jobs adequately. If reports reaching us are correct, the jail urgently needs closer supervision than it has had in recent months. In any event, the need for a new superintendent of penal institutions is clear. It is true that the board has had difficulty in finding the right man for this place. But if the board doesn't display a little more energy in this quest, it may find itself the subject of investigation by irate members of Congress.

Appeal To Fear

The New Year's Day address of Adolf Hitler gives the outside world an extraordinarily revealing glimpse of the state of mind of the German people in this fifth winter of war. The distortions of historical fact by which he supports his thesis that Germany is not an aggressor nation but the victim of a diabolical plot engineered by Great Britain, herself in bondage to her Allies, is a characteristic example of Nazi propaganda technique. However, the lies that are served up for home consumption are not a matter of particular interest in themselves. What does concern us is the purpose behind this revamped picture of the German nation at bay, surrounded by plotters against the peace of the world and, without provocation, assaulted from the skies by air armadas that spread death and destruction among helpless women and children. Hitler even goes out of his way to refute the undeniable fact that Germany instigated this kind of warfare. "British war agitators," he says, had rejected his suggestions "for abolition of air warfare and for making war more humane by restricting it only to soldiers actually in the field."

The obvious reason for this perverted account of the course of events is the necessity of answering the growing doubts, fears and underground criticism of the Nazi regime that ultimately are bound to overwhelm it. So long as victories were the reward of aggression the Nazis could count on the moral support of the masses. But now that disaster has overtaken their arms, the thesis that "might makes right" is no longer acceptable to the people. Hence morale has to be bolstered by trying to persuade the Germans that they are victims of nations motivated by a persecution mania. Moreover, since it is impossible for the Nazis any longer to dangle before the people the lure of conquest as the reward of successful resistance, the alternative is to arouse deadly fear of the consequences of defeat.

This appeal to fear is a strong weapon in the hands of skillful molders of public opinion. Hitler made lavish use of that weapon in his New Year Day address not only by uttering grim warnings of what lies ahead but by making no effort to minimize the disastrous effects of air warfare on German cities. To some extent such frankness has been forced on him by inability to conceal the facts, but it also serves another purpose. By admitting that great damage has been done from the air Hitler can more persuasively describe the enemy as a ruthless destroyer who must be resisted, come what may. Repeatedly he stressed the point that Germany could expect no quarter from the enemy if defeated. To support this contention he made effective—and, for once, legitimate—use of the failure of the United Nations to define their war aims in terms that would offer the German people some inducement to lay down their arms.

An impartial reading of this address leaves one with the conviction that the German will to fight is weak and waning fast. That conviction is implicit in Hitler's warnings of what lies ahead and in every calculated attempt to instill fear of the foe as a would be destroyer of the German nation. When defeatism reaches a stage at which it can be fought only by arousing terror in the hearts of the people, the end cannot be far off.

Prices Held In Check

Secretary of Labor Perkins reports that living costs, as measured by the Bureau of Labor index, rose only 3½ per cent in 1943 compared with a 9 per cent rise in 1942 and an increase of 10 per cent in 1941. This is a remarkably gratifying record in view of the fact that the amount of money in consumer hands has expanded by many billions owing to deficit war financing, while supplies of goods have become increasingly scarce. The limited increase testifies eloquently to the value of price control and rationing as means of preventing uncontrollable advances in living costs.

Without doubt some people, among them President Murray of the CIO, will protest that official living cost figures do not present a true picture of the situation. For that matter, all of us can testify that the prices of some articles have reached exorbitant levels. All of us can cite instances of outrageous profiteering, and all of us have found it impossible at times to buy certain things at any price. But in most such cases the articles that are overpriced are luxury goods or semiluxuries. The American people have, with few exceptions, been well supplied, and at reasonable prices, with the food and clothing needed to keep them in health and comfort. Sometimes they have suffered because of inadequate housing and there has been some gouging by landlords in congested war areas. But, by and large, rentals have been kept on an even keel. There has been considerable deterioration in the quality of certain goods—notably clothing—that is not reflected in official price indices. But that, too, has not been productive, so far, of any great hardship.

Even the British, despite their stringent system of price controls, have not been able to prevent people from throwing their money away on luxuries and indulging in extravagances in eating and drinking. In Germany, Dorothy Thompson notes in the current issue of *Foreign Affairs*, a second-hand damask table cloth was priced for sale at the equivalent of more than $200, while pictures that in prewar Germany would have sold for a few dollars were recently bringing a hundred times that sum. Here, too, fantastic prices are sometimes paid for scarce foods and drinks and we see all sorts of decorative junk selling for many times prewar prices. However, though these examples of consumer-fostered profiteering are irritating and disgusting to sober-minded citizens, they are not of great moment.

The extension of price control to cover all the articles that people buy and sell is impracticable. The administrative labor would be stupendous; the results would not be worth the cost. Official efforts are, therefore, concentrated on keeping the prices of essentials stable. It is the staple articles of food, clothing, fuel, house furnishings, etc., commonly bought by the families of workers, that are the concern of the Department of Labor. Under present conditions the BLS index is naturally not as satisfactory a measure of living cost changes as it was under the more settled conditions of peace. But with liberal allowance for possible errors of underestimate, the data indicate that the price line has been held extremely well during the past year. If we can do as well during the year ahead, there will be cause for thanksgiving.

United Nations, 1944

As a wartime coalition, the United Nations have attained a remarkable degree of success. The beginning of their third year of active cooperation in the great cause of defeating military Fascism finds them more securely united than ever before. Every psychological assault upon this coalition, whether it originated in Berlin or Tokyo, has failed. Instead of splitting into hostile fragments as the war has progressed toward a climax, the United Nations have tightened their bonds of understanding and brought their forces into closer coordination for the last great offensive. For this achievement men of good will throughout the world are deeply grateful.

Because the Allies fighting Germany, Japan and their satellites are so thoroughly united in determination to win and in the strategy of achieving victory, our thoughts turn naturally to projection of the United Nations system into the postwar era. President Roosevelt took that view when he issued his statement on the second anniversary of the grand alliance. "To make all of us secure against future aggression and to open the way for enhanced well-being of nations and individuals everywhere," he said, "we must maintain in the peace to come the mutually beneficial cooperation we have achieved in war." The President also recognized that mere cooperation is not enough. He once more called for "an international organization of all peace-loving nations to maintain peace and security in generations to come."

Peace and order in the world are far too important to be trusted to cooperation based merely on the whim of rulers and statesmen, on casual conferences, or the chance that the mutual interests of the great powers will keep them pulling in the same direction when the war is over. We hope that 1944 will bring definite progress toward the creation of an international agency that can give stability, order and continuity to world policies evolving from the present conflict. That agency ought to be guided, of course, by the principles of the Atlantic Charter. It should be strong enough to lead the way toward peaceful adjustment of disputes and suppression of aggressive war. Of course, such an organization would be dependent upon the support that might be given it by the great powers. Yet its influence for peace and stability could be much greater than the influence of mere casual cooperation among the powers in meeting specific problems. So the sequel to Cairo and Teheran may well be more systematic organization of the powers fighting the Nazis and the Japs. Here is one of the great tasks for the year ahead. By vote of Congress and by expression of public opinion the American people have manifested an earnest desire to mobilize force as well as good intentions and understanding behind the maintenance of peace in the future. Aside from the actual winning of the war, this is doubtless the most important cause awaiting the leadership of the United States Government.

Where Has It Gone?

During the year just ended the Federal Government spent about 88 billion dollars chiefly to defray the costs of the war. That was nearly 32 billion more than was spent in 1942 and nearly five times the amount disbursed in the fiscal year 1918-19. We are likely to forget that money spent, unlike consumable goods bought with money, does not disappear. Part of the huge sums spent by the Government are, it is true, recaptured by the Government through taxation. In 1943, for instance, Federal receipts reached the unprecedented figure of 34.5 billion dollars. That still leaves more than 50 billion of funds put into circulation without offsetting return to the Treasury. And this sum is added to the uncovered outlays of the preceding year.

Where have these huge cash outpourings gone? To whom have they gone? Some of the cash paid out by the Government has returned to the Treasury in exchange for United States securities bought by individuals and corporations. Some of it is held in the form of bank deposits and part is kept in the form of currency. The December Federal Reserve Bulletin throws a great deal of light upon the effects of two years of deficit war financing upon our money supply. During that period the Federal debt has increased about 105 billion. That debt increase roughly measures the size of the two-year Federal deficit—that is, the gap between expenditures and receipts. About 56 billion of the debt increase, the Federal Reserve Bulletin states, has been acquired by private investors and Government agencies; the remainder by commercial banks and the Federal Reserve Banks, with a resultant expansion of bank deposits and currency. Since the end of 1941 the amount of currency in circulation has increased by 8 billion and deposits by 38 billion. This expansion of the money supply is still in process and, as the Federal Reserve Board says, it is likely to have permanent effects on our banking system. Moreover, it will probably leave us with a permanently increased volume of deposits, at, near or above present high levels.

Clean Restaurants Now

The remarkable clean-up of Washington restaurants during the last six months is a good illustration of what can be done when conscientious public and private agencies pull together. Spoiled food, filthy utensils and disgusting surroundings were to be found in many a restaurant last summer. Restaurant owners were being summoned to court on charges of violating the sanitary code at the rate of nearly a hundred a month—the peak was 108 cases in August. Many were paying small fines and letting their violations continue because of the shortage of manpower.

When The Post exposed this situation, a sharp improvement was not long in coming. The District Health Department carried more cases involving violation of the sanitary code to the courts. Judge George D. Neilson set the pace for stiffer penalties. The collateral requirement was raised so as to force accused restaurant operators before the court. Widespread publicity concerning this sterner inclination to enforce sanitary requirements brought into line most of the restaurants that had been flagrantly violating the law. In December the number of so-called dirty-restaurant cases reached a new low point of 10. This is a situation in which, as Judge Neilson says, constant vigilance is necessary to prevent a recurrence of former conditions. As the record stands at present, however, it is cause for genuine satisfaction among all those who joined in this public-spirited campaign.

ACT II: SAME SCENE

This is the room where sunlight fell through
the blue wistaria vines:
Now the vines are wasted and the last brown
leaves are sere;
This is the garden where green moss edged
the shaded flagstones;
Once a mockingbird sang in the moonlight
here.

The clock with golden figurines is quiet this
afternoon;
No tick, no silver chime, records the passage
of the day:
Something is changed invisibly: the room is
smaller now
And the garden haunted: more than the bird
is flown away.

Perhaps we shall come back one day to find
recaptured spring,
A day alive with laughter and the sun we
used to know;
But, no; for places do not change. It is our-
selves transformed:
Strangers, and gone forever, who left a little
while ago.

FREDERICK EBRIGHT

Liquidating New Dealism

By Mark Sullivan

Presidential Gesture

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S declaration that the New Deal is at an end startled the country and puzzled it. The country is not yet sure just what it means. If the country understood it in its historical significance, the country would recognize it as one of the most magnificant political gestures ever made. Magnificent gestures in politics, as in war, are judged by their outcomes. Usually the outcomes are either magnificently successful or magnificently disastrous. The outcome of Mr. Roosevelt's gesture we shall see during the coming year.

For historical significance, bear in mind that always in politics periods of conservatism alternate with periods of radicalism or liberalism or what have you—call it reform. The most recent example is fresh in every mind. For some ten years during the 1920's there was a regime of conservatism, with the Republicans in power. Presently the country tired of conservatism, threw it out violently, and elected a regime of reform—the New Deal. The New Deal regime has now been in power over 11 years. Change to a conservative regime is called for by all historical precedent.

At this point Mr. Roosevelt does the thing which illustrates once more his daring and resourcefulness as a political leader. Mr. Roosevelt says, in effect: Yes, the New Deal is over.

IT IS DOUBTFUL if ever before in political history the head of any regime, conservative or reform, conceded that the regime had come to an end. Always the rule is for the head of the regime, conservative or reform, to insist stubbornly that the regime is perfect, that it must go on, that to let it end would be disastrous to the country. This course arises out of loyalty to the regime; to the political party conducting the regime, in this case the Democrats; and to other persons who have had a part in the regime. This course follows human nature.

How explain Mr. Roosevelt's extraordinary departure from the rule? If it has political meaning, if it is inspired by political hope, the hope must be that by declaring the regime to be at an end he can preserve himself as a political figure. If Mr. Roosevelt is acting politically at all, he is saying an extraordinary thing to the country. He is saying, in effect: I know the New Deal is over, I know it must be succeeded by a different regime—and I suggest that you let me stay in office to bridge the transition and head the new regime.

Normally such a suggestion would be so strange as to be unthinkable. But there is on this occasion an explanation for Mr. Roosevelt's course, indeed a justification of it. The justification is the war.

THIS COUNTRY is at war. In effect, Mr. Roosevelt prefaces his novel suggestion by saying: For the sake of winning the war, keep me as your leader and I will promise not to use my leadership as a means of continuing a New Deal regime which I hereby admit to be at an end.

This position now taken by Mr. Roosevelt will commend him to many voters who otherwise would be doubtful about reelecting him. There is a large group of voters who think it desirable that Mr. Roosevelt be kept in the Presidency so long as the war lasts, but who at the same time are strongly opposed to Mr. Roosevelt's domestic policies as expressed in the New Deal. To such voters Mr. Roosevelt says, in effect: You need not hesitate to reject me; if you do reelect me, I promise I will use my renewal of power solely for the purpose of winning the war—I will not use it to extend the New Deal.

From another angle Mr. Roosevelt's action would remove the New Deal from the campaign next year—since the leader of the New Deal says it is ended. It can hardly be on domestic issues, certainly the most contentious ones. About the only issue in the campaign would be the war, about which practically everybody is agreed.

Mr. Roosevelt's action is magnificent politics. But there is an awkward fact that reduces its effect. Mr. Roosevelt may say and think the New Deal is at an end. But a large part of the New Deal consists of increase of power for labor leaders. And the country has just seen labor leaders exercise more power than ever before. It may be that the power now exercised by labor leaders is greater than Mr. Roosevelt wishes them to have. In any event, so long as labor leaders are exercising more and more power, the country will be reluctant to believe that the New Deal is really at an end.

New Year Resolution

With the New Year approaching it would be worthwhile for all Americans to make one resolution and keep it; be a good American and stop striking.

I, along with thousands of other women, joined the Marines to release a man for combat, but it makes us fighting mad to see our men leaving to fight for freedom while others at home instigate strikes and other un-American activities.

Come on Americans, wise up, and quit playing into the hands of the Axis.

CHRISTINE R. MONTEGUE,
Staff Sergt. USMC.
Washington, Dec. 27.

Supreme Command

By Paul Schubert

Hidden Assets

IF ANYONE had told the American people, on the day of Pearl Harbor, that in the year 1944 an American general named Eisenhower would be supreme commander of American and British land, sea and air forces massing for an invasion of the European continent, the answer—on the day of Pearl Harbor—would have been: "Never heard of him."

Eisenhower became known to our public when he was sent to England, in 1942, to command the American forces there.

It was a surprise to see him named to top command of the invasion of Northwest Africa, and after that to top command of all operations in the western Mediterranean theater. Cynics said his appointment was more political than military. The invasion would involve dealing with the French, and the French would be more amenable to dealing with an American than with an Englishman in top command. It was also said that the appointment was a sop to American public opinion, meant to flatter us and turn our thoughts to the European rather than to the Pacific war. Later on it was said that Eisenhower had been named because of his diplomatic skill in persuading American and British forces to team up wholeheartedly.

The one thing that was not said, at first, was that Eisenhower had gotten the appointment because he was a top notch, big shot general of the first rank—that although his permanent rank was only that of colonel at the war's outbreak, he had skyrocketed to the top through sheer capability and performance.

But little by little, we have come to see—and so have the British—that General Eisenhower is a great American asset, and an asset to Britain and to the United Nations as well. His ability to deal in political, diplomatic and organizational terms, is merely a part of his all-around capacity to wage modern global, total war.

This is interesting, because it was widely believed that the United States would be deficient in top commanders. Our World War experience was, after all, slight. Our peacetime Army was small—we never had enough troops in any one area to give any commander true experience in large modern military movements. We were late in organizing and equipping armored divisions. Our Army Air Force was small. We were not a great military nation, but only potentially a great military nation.

What we forget, though, is the fact that we are a nation of great organizations. There is nothing strange, to any American, about the idea of operations on a scale involving millions of men—about transport, supply, housing, training.

Those are things we do year in and year out, in peace as well as in war.

EISENHOWER IS only one of a number of American commanders whose names are becoming known around the world. MacArthour, Doolittle, Clark, Devers,—how their names spring to our lips.

The Navy, too, has furnished its quota. Nimitz, Halsey, Kinkaid, Ingersoll—competent, aggressive American leaders, able to handle operations in any theater, able to think in terms of land and of air warfare as well as in the salt-water battle of "Admirals."

Nowhere has performance been more brilliant than at the very top. Marshall, King, Arnold, McCain, Leahy—what a group this is! Theirs is the detached job of supreme planning. Theirs is also the supreme responsibility, for any slightest deficiency on their part is extended a millionfold. Yet since they do not lead combat troops into action, theirs is remote glory—and they will not lead the victory parades.

All these men are extraordinary assets.

America had them all the time, hidden away below the surface, ready for this job when the occasion arose. They didn't appear by accident, but as the result of foresight.

And we are now, in these war years, creating a fresh reserve of hidden assets—men now receiving their basic training in command, who will go on developing themselves in readiness for any eventualities that may arise in the future.

Lieutenants, captains, majors . . . ensigns, commanders—staff officers in subordinate jobs, combat officers with the troops, skippers of submarines and PT boats.

Halsey was a destroyer commander in the last war, one of hundreds of lieutenant commanders. For a quarter of a century he was hidden, known only to the Navy . . . This process will repeat itself. Today's lieutenants are tomorrow's generals.

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry the writer's name and address though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters should be held to not more than 200 words. They are subject to condensation.

German Psychology

Peace, like war and like every other human experience, is too complex a matter to be evaluated chiefly by how soft or how hard it is. If our aim is to punish and get even with Germany, the coming peace should be hard and tortured. If our aim is to be as nice as possible, then the peace should be as soft as possible. But if our aim is to have peace in the world, then the coming management of Germany should be the outgrowth of every objective fact and all the broad social viewpoint we can muster.

There is no evidence to support the cliche that "the German people" are the repeated helpless victims of brutal governments. Much more evidence can be adduced to substantiate DeMaistre's claim that a nation gets the government it deserves. Anthropology has shown us how large groups of people (cultures) develop common ways of thinking, of feeling and of acting and how the customs and institutions of these cultures perpetuate those ways of thinking. The German culture has been developing aggressive, even paranoid cultural values for many generations and these have burst out volcanically twice in one generation; the Nazis are merely today's expression of an old theme.

Our job, in helping to plan a peace, is to pay close attention to this aspect of German life, an aspect which is not subject to appeasement or any other simple form of treatment. We must separate the adherents and the rebels, by groups and by individuals. That part of the German people who are rebels against the old cultural values, who will be in charge of the new governmental arrangements in Germany, must be given the support and companionship of democracies. Above all, they must be protected against the competition of those who were adherents to aggressive cultural values. These old adherents if unchecked will keep the old standards going and no mere form of government will be able to resist them—they have been there too long and they are too well dove-tailed with the ordinary customs of past German living. That is what happened to the Weimer Republic—a democracy in form but not in enthusiasm.

The groups and individuals who need support, as well as those who need to be kept out of all power and influence can be sorted from each other. The identification should not be couched in economic social or industrial terms, but in terms of reactions to the old cultural teachings of dominance and superiority. Those who emerge from the identification as dangerous to the new democratic way of living which will be essential, will have to be dispersed or kept in institutions for the rest of their lives. The other, more hopeful group must have unimpeded opportunity to set going a new kind of living, democratic in its core, which will not be a chronic threat to the rest of the world. And it must prove itself and not be glibly trusted.

RICHARD M. BRICKNER, M. D.
New York, N. Y., Dec. 30.

Home Front

Our various radio Christmas concerts this year represented a much more cheerful mood than last year. But our home front makes us stop to think. If there are some policies in our Government which do not agree with the desires of certain groups, now is certainly not the time to leave our boys without proper protection. We all want more money. But if we all get more money, it is certainly going to make living costs higher. We will all have to dig in to pay those extra taxes. If these demands for higher wages continue it is going to upset our confidence in a unified front at home. Then what will our boys think of us for letting such a situation come to pass. It is certainly not encouraging to them when they are on the verge of the biggest fight we have ever had.

Some people go so far as to say this is done purposely to slow up our efforts and mak the war last longer. If such a thing could be true then these people can be assured that when our boys do come home these cliques will have to take their medicine. Ten million boys can have an awful lot to say by votes and with fists if necessary. They are fighting for peace not only for the rest of the world but for us here at home. War profiteering is a crime whether it is done by corporations, unions or syndicates.

We can only hope that when our Senators come back to the Capital after talking to their people, they will have a clearer view of what is going on. If they do not do something to correct these demoralizing tendencies by these various groups we will lose confidence and wonder what we are fighting for. It is certainly not to let them profit to our disadvantage and place a heavier burden on us.

THE OLD GUARD.
Washington, Dec. 26.

Christmas Workers

I wonder if many citizens stopped to think how miserable Christmas Day would have been if everyone stopped working. We would have no light, water or heat in the first place and in the second place many people wouldn't have food, transportation or recreation. Certain phases of war work had to be continued and guards were needed to uphold the safety of Government buildings. Police and fire protection were needed as much as ever.

In behalf of all the people I know who must feel as I do, I wish to render a special vote of thanks to all those persons who worked on Christmas Day in or near the District of Columbia.

GILBERTA G. LYONS.
Washington, Dec. 30.

Posting The Books

By J. M. Lalley

The Sick Heart

HEART OF EUROPE: an anthology of creative writing in Europe, 1920-1940; edited by Klaus Mann and Hermann Kesten. (Fischer, $5.)

This is a heavy volume in a good many senses. It contains about a thousand pages of excerpts—chosen according to no principle that I can discover, unless that of mere variety—from the books of about 140 Continental European writers. Many of them are well known in this country; some indeed are now living and working here, but there are more than a few of whom, I freely confess, I never heard before. It is, to be sure, somewhat astonishing to find eleven Russians representing European literature in an anthology from which English and Irish writers have been completely excluded. But Mr. Klaus Mann in his introduction explains this by saying it would not be artistic to include original texts in a volume of translations and besides Americans are well acquainted with most English writers already.

It was just about 25 years ago, I think—that is to say at the beginning of the period covered by this book—that the late Anatole France announced that Europe was dying. If after 2500 years of violent and glorious existence, Europe is, as some say, dead at last, the work in this book may represent a final cultural paroxysm. It is understood, of course, that when we speak of "Europe" we mean an historical and spiritual rather than a merely geographical entity. Geographically, Europe is only a protuberance of Asia; historically it has been a light, sometimes great and brilliant enough to radiate over the Mediterranean or the Atlantic or even over the whole world, sometimes diminishing to the merest spark. To some minds Europe has been coterminous with Catholic Christendom; to others with the tradition of Greek philosophy and the Roman law. To M. Paul Valery, whose essay *Homo Europaeus* is perhaps the most appropriately chosen piece in the book, Europe equals Greece plus Rome plus Judaeo Christianity. "Wherever," says Valery, "the names of Caesar, Trajan and Virgil, of Moses and St. Paul, of Aristotle, Plato and Euclid have possessed simultaneous meaning and authority, there Europe is." In fine, "Europe" and "Western civilization" are one and the same. Does this mean that America, too, is European? M. Valery says yes; America is "an imposing creation of the European mind." But there are many Europeans, including M. Andre Siegfried and Don Jose Ortega y Gasset, who say otherwise. M. Siegfried has drawn a significant distinction between "Western" and "Far Western" civilization and Senor Ortega scoffs at the notion that if Europe should disappear the European scientific genius would flourish in North America.

What, then, are the qualities and characteristics of this European or Western genius as distinct for example from the Chinese or the Indian or, for that matter, from the American genius? Perhaps the main characteristic, as the poet Yeats once suggested, is the sense of form and consequent impulse toward embodiment. "In Christianity what was philosophy in eastern Asia became life, biography and drama." From this necessity to impose form on experience, on nature and on society comes the prominent role of the will in Western psychology. Out of form arises need, out of need desire, and out of desire the quest of power. Hence the personal, aristocratic and scientific tradition of Europe, as distinct from the formless, passive and mystical genius of the East. The late Daniel Chester French translated this wonderfully into stone in those allegorical groups of the Four Continents that used to be, and I suppose still are, outside the Custom House in New York.

But there is plenty of evidence in this book, as well as in the European art and thought of several generations past, to show how the European instinct of form has degenerated until it can no longer be said to exist. It is no mere readjustment of forms under new conditions of life and new philosophic orientations, as for example, in the transition from Gothic to Baroque, but a willful and conscious repudiation of all form and congruity as such, a revolution of artists against art, of thinkers against logic, of writers against language, of effeminates against refinement. Divorced from the sense of form the European will and energy could not be otherwise than destructive. The new European barbarism is all the more terrible because it is not real but an artificial barbarism; for the real barbarian like Theodoric or Charlemagne, is capable of being softened and tamed. More dangerous than the primitive man is the civilized man who plays at being a primitive; the one who, as somebody said of Mr. Hemmingway, puts the false hair on his chest. Senor Ortega speaks of "a vertical invasion," as "by a trap door on the stage," suggesting that it comes from beneath, by the rise of the mass-man. This may be so, but there was also a treason involved and I think M. Julien Benda did right to call it the treason of the "clerks" or intelligentsia.

Europe, says M. Georges Bernanos, will never surrender her right to the spiritual leadership of the world. But there are others like Dr. Eric Fischer (*The Passing of the European Age:* Harvard, $2.50) who say that for better or worse the center of Western civilization has definitely shifted to this hemisphere. If that is so, its character will be profoundly modified, for our own peculiar genius is not much concerned with form. As Mr. Frank Lloyd Wright says, "form follows function." And our greatest American philosopher said that truth, too, follows function.

Two-Way Talk

By Ernest Lindley

Double-Edged Propaganda

THE WAR would be less difficult to manage if words intended for the enemy could be kept from our own troops and home front, and if words intended for our own troops and home front could be kept from the enemy.

LINDLEY

Example No. 1: A general desires to encourage troops who have been away from home a long time, some of whom have already experienced bloody action, and all of whom, after the Solomons campaign and Tarawa, know that they face heavy casualties in the offensives just ahead. He tells them, in substance, that we have the Japs licked. At home, this is misread as a prediction of quick and easy victory in the Pacific.

Example No. 2: An "informed source" in Washington predicts 400,000 casualties in the American forces by mid-April or thereabouts. His purpose is to impress the American home front with the gravity of the war: to quell bickering over wages and prices and taxes. This is attacked in the press as an excessively gloomy forecast from a layman who has no business indulging in predictions about military matters.

Example No. 3: Another "informed source" says, in effect, that the railroad strike, compelling the Government to take over the railroads, and the threatened strike in steel have prolonged the war by six months and probably sentenced hundreds of thousands of American youth to death, that the damage has been done and is irreparable even though there are no strikes, because of the propaganda value to the enemy of the threats and resultant action by the Government.

Example No. 3 is an exaggerated, although sincere, analysis. On the home front it was a rebuke which should make every civilian conscious that his acts, or even his words, may cost the lives of American fighting men and their comrades. Abroad, its effect propaganda-wise probably will be as damaging, if not more so, than the strike threats themselves. For it tended to substantiate what the Nazis are telling their own people and their wavering satellites: that the American home front is in such disorder that our full force cannot be thrown into the war. If, by the admission of a "high personage," the threatened strikes on the railroads and in steel alone have already lengthened the war by six months and cost the lives of several hundred thousand American fighting men, further occurrences of similar character might be expected to make the war prohibitively long and costly to us. The fact that other informed sources with a better basis for sound judgment on conditions inside Europe probably regard the damage done by the strike threats on the railroads and in steel as very much less serious—so long as there are no actual stoppages—does not subtract from the propaganda value to the enemy of this high personage's published appraisal.

PALMER HOYT, retiring head of the domestic branch of OWI, has given excellent advice to Washington officials: less forecasting, prompter and more complete reporting, in word and picture, of events on the battle fronts. Let the people see what the invasion of Tarawa was like, in terms of hundreds of Marines lying dead on fewer hundred yards of beach. Let them see what fighting on the Italian front is like. Let them know that the enemy is still bombing our ships and ammunition dumps.

The advice, as far as it goes, is good. It is the same advice which Elmer Davis has been giving since he became head of OWI. But the bare facts are not enough: they need to be related and interpreted. In wartime, some of this interpreting must be done by men in high positions because there are facts which, for reasons of military security, cannot be published. Moreover, words of praise or rebuke are often useful.

In football, or any other sport, the coach can talk to his own men without being overheard by the opposition. Officers on the battlefield can do likewise. But officials who address either the American public as a whole or the enemy will be heard by both, and by our friends in other countries throughout the world. Whether they bawl out malingerers or encourage men who are sorely taxed, they are overheard, and their words are only too likely to be exploited by those for whom they were not intended.

THERE IS NO WAY of talking privately to the American people or to the people inside Europe. Prime Minister Churchill has been most skillful in being frank with his own people without lending the enemy encouragement. The President prepares his major speeches with the world audience in mind. You can usually tell which paragraphs were written especially for the enemy, which especially for our Allies and which for the home front. Secretary Hull and Elmer Davis, among others, know how to aim their words so they hit the right targets.

Davis is the expert in charge of propaganda. Federal officials are supposed to clear their utterances with him, at least when they talk on matters outside their own bailiwicks. But the system has never been perfectly observed, and the amateur propagandists are as hardy a lot as the amateur military strategists.

Army Likely To Continue Rail Operation

By International News Service

Army operations of the Nation's railroads for an indefinite period was in prospect last night.

Quiet prevailed, however, on the domestic labor front over the New Year holiday.

Next move in the controversy between the Government and almost a million and a half railway workers will come Thursday when members of executive committees and other officials of rail unions and brotherhoods gather in Washington.

The entire wage situation will be placed before the union officials.

Strike Postponed

What appeared to have been a complete vanishing of a railway workers strike threat broke into new conflict when it was learned the three holdout brotherhoods—the switchmen, firemen and enginemen and conductors — had merely postponed their order for a strike December 30.

Their action brought an assertion from Lieut. Gen. Brehon B. Somervell, commanding general of Army Service Forces who has been placed in charge of the rail lines for the Army, that the postponement order would delay return of the roads to private operation.

One union official said the action of the union heads in postponing instead of canceling the strike order leaves the way open for a walkout at any time unless there is an amicable settlement of their wage demands.

No Conferences Set

No further conferences between the heads of the 15 nonoperating unions and the carriers looking to unraveling of their wage discussion deadlock had been set last night. The unions and the carriers are at loggerheads over what matters are to be submitted to President Roosevelt for arbitration.

The carriers insist the entire wage dispute should be handled by the President, including the question of straight time and overtime. The unions insist that since they have accepted a wage award of Economic Stabilizer Fred M. Vinson of 4 to 10 cents an hour for straight time increase, only their demand for overtime should be arbitrated by the President.

Manufacturers Called 'Big Brother' to Retailers

A growing "Big Brother" attitude on the part of many manufacturers toward their retail distributors—ranging from plain-language interpretations of Government regulations to Nation-wide schools to teach new methods—promises well for the business future, the Commerce Department reported last night.

Releasing an economic study on "Wartime Dealer-Aid Programs," the Department says that while the trend toward closer relationships has been evident for years, it has quickened and assumed new significance under war conditions.

By shifting the emphasis from promotional work to management guidance, suggestions and other aids designed to help retailers survive, these progressive-minded producers, the agency declares, "have taken active measures to maintain a nucleus of distribution. Thus they will be better able to reorganize their distribution systems after the war.

"Furthermore, it is likely that in many cases this emergency experience will permanently change and improve the nature of manufacturer-dealer relations."

The Department, in summarizing "Big Brother" programs undertaken by 19 manufacturers, makes no attempt to analyze the merits or effectiveness of each program. It says however, that some concerns indicate that the programs definitely have reduced wartime mortality of their dealers.

Among aids provided are advertising campaigns to acquaint consumers with the availability of dealer service or with new merchandise, movies and slides to help teach new help more quickly and suggestions for cutting rising expenses.

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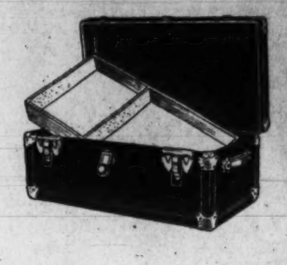

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Off The Record

By Ed Reed

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War Relief Board To Help Famine Sufferers in India

The President's War Relief Control Board announced yesterday it had approved and registered the India Famine Relief Committee, Inc., New York City, as a central agency and channel for the American contributions for relief in India.

"For the time being," that board said, "it has been arranged that this committee will provide medical supplies and other aid and assistance for which shipping and distribution facilities can be obtained for relief of the people of India, primarily those suffering from the recent famine situation there. The activities of the committee will be financed for the time being by the National War Fund through the British War Relief Society."

The board, of which Joseph E. Davies is chairman, supervises extra governmental relief activities. It said an independent appeal for funds for the India committee was not contemplated.

'Dumping' Goods On Public Denied By Air Forces

The War Department said yesterday that less than 1.5 per cent of the excess property disposed of by the Air Forces in October and November went into civilian channels.

The surplus goods are handled through a central outlet for the air forces at the specialized depot in Memphis, Tenn. Of a total of $2,574,917 in property disposed of during the two months, only $36,296 was sold into the civilian economy, the department said.

"Contrary to published reports that the Army Air Forces were enaged in 'dumping' huge stores of consumer goods on the market," the statement said, "$2,248,108 of the total business represented transfers among AAF components, and the great bulk of the remainder went to other armed services and Government agencies.

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BACHMANN, HOWARD W. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Henry E. Gauthier, 4708 Asbury place nw., HOWARD W. BACHMANN, the beloved husband of Mae Bookman Bachmann and brother of Mrs. Harry Leeds, Mrs. Elizabeth Arn, Mrs. Ed Limburger, Walter Bachmann, all of Wheeling, W. Va., and Chester Bachmann of Hollywood, Calif. Services at the above residence on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 11 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. Services by Chambers Georgetown funeral home.

BLYTH, JAMES A. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, at Doctors Hospital, JAMES A. BLYTH of 4426 Warren st. nw., husband of Ruby A. Blyth and brother of Mrs. Jonathan J. Robinson and Mrs. Ernest McCormick Wright of Louisville, Ky., and George Blyth of Conimicut, R. I. Friends may call at Gawler's, chapel, 1756 Pa. ave. nw., where services will be held on Tuesday, January 4, at 3:30 p. m. Interment Allegheny Cemetery, Pittsburgh, Pa., Wednesday afternoon.

BREWER, MARY BARRY. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, MARY BARRY BREWER, beloved daughter of Nicholas and Bessie S. Brewer of 14 Williams st., Rockville, Md. Funeral services at the Colonial funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, Rockville, Md., Tuesday, January 4, 1944, at 11 a. m. Interment Rockville Union Cemetery.

BRISENDINE, CATHERINE E. Suddenly, on Thursday, December 30, 1943, at Providence Hospital, CATHERINE E. BRISENDINE, beloved wife of Robert H. Brisendine, mother of Robert H. Brisendine, Jr., and sister of John, Paul, Walter and Philip Dean and Mrs. Margaret Baldoven. Remains resting at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., until 9 a. m. Tuesday, January 4, 1944. Services at Fort Myer Chapel, Fort Myer, Va., at 9:30 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

BRISENDINE, CATHERINE DEAN. The members of Court District of Columbia, No. 212, of the Catholic Daughters of America, are notified of the death of a beloved member, CATHERINE DEAN BRISENDINE, on Thursday, December 30, 1943, and are requested to assemble for the recitation of the Rosary at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 8 p. m., and to attend requiem mass at 9:30 a. m., Tuesday, January 4, at the chapel in Arlington, Va.

ELIZABETH G. BIGHAM, Grand Regent.
EVA M. DAKIN, Financial Secretary.

CHURCH, CLIFFORD V. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, CLIFFORD V. CHURCH, beloved husband of Marie G. Church and father of Rosa M. and Francis Church and son of Sarah R. L. Church and brother of Rosa C. Clark and Capt. J. Gaylord Church, USN. Remains resting at the Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Services at the Fort Myer Chapel, Fort Myer, Va., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 12:30 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

DOLCATER, ALICE J. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, at Homeopathic Hospital, ALICE J. DOLCATER of 3220 17th st. nw., beloved wife of Frederick C. Dolcater and mother of Mrs. Ruth Twitchell. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

FAHEY, JOSEPH THOMAS. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, at Mount Alto Hospital, JOSEPH THOMAS FAHEY, beloved husband of Frances Fahey (nee McDermott) and father of Joseph Thomas, jr., Anita Margaret, Mary Julia and John Edward Fahey. Funeral from the residence of his brother, Timothy Fahey, 1109 24th st. nw., apt. 3, on Wednesday, January 5, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to St. Stephen's Church, 25th st. and Pa. ave. nw., where requiem high mass will be said for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

FULTZ, ALBERT AMOS. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, ALBERT AMOS FULTZ, beloved husband of Bessie Fultz and father of Corpl. Albert A., Jr., Taxiarma, Ray, Richard and Jackie Fultz. Services and interment Monday, January 3, at 2:30 p. m., in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Services by Chambers.

FUNKHOUSER, LILLIAN V. Suddenly, on Saturday, January 1, 1944, at her residence, 5610 Kansas ave. nw., LILLIAN V. FUNKHOUSER, beloved sister of Perry and Willard Funkhouser. Funeral services at the W. W. Deal funeral home, 4812 Georgia ave. nw., Tuesday, January 4, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

FURMAN, AGNES FEALY. On Friday, December 31, 1943, at Walter Reed Hospital, AGNES FEALY FURMAN, beloved wife of Maj. Robert Brooke Furman, daughter of Lida A. and the late Dr. Martin Fealy. Funeral from the James T. Ryan funeral home, 317 Penna. ave. se., on Tuesday, January 4, 1944, at 10:30 a. m.; thence to St. Francis Xavier Church, where mass will be offered at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

GARRETTE, ELIZABETH C. On Friday, December 31, 1943, at her residence, 5018 38th pl. No., Arlington, Va., ELIZABETH C. GARRETTE, the beloved wife of Jackson G. Garrette; mother of Don, Nancy, Ann and Bonnie Garrette; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Shiflett and sister of Mrs. W. B. Gardner. Remains resting at Chambers Georgetown funeral home, 31st and M sts. nw. Services at the First Baptist Church, Charlottesville, Va.

GARVEY, DANIEL J. Members of the Policemen's Association will attend the services for our late brother, DANIEL J. GARVEY, at his late home, 1700 Otis st. ne., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 8:30 a. m. Services at St. Anthony's Church at 9 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

HOWARD F. SMITH, President.
JOSEPH F. DAVIS, Secretary.

GARVEY, DANIEL J. Comrades of Gen. Nelson A. Miles Camp, No. 1, Department of the District of Columbia, United Spanish War Veterans, are requested to attend the funeral of our late comrade, DANIEL J. GARVEY, from 1700 Otis st. ne., on Monday, January 3, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to St. Anthony's Church, 12th and Monroe sts. ne., at 9 a. m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery.

JAMES M. BENNER, Commander.
JOHN F. FARRELL, Adjutant.

GERACI, VIOLET L. On Friday, December 31, 1943, at her residence, 4613 9th st. nw., VIOLET L. GERACI, wife of the late John P. Geraci and mother of Mrs. Ruth Smith and Capt. Philip C. Geraci. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Tuesday, January 4, 1944, at 1 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

GRAEVES, EFFIE A. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, at the residence of her son, 725 Webster st. nw., EFFIE A. GRAEVES, beloved wife of the late Alfred G. Graeves and mother of Julia A., Claude E. Graeves and Vena M. Spencer. Funeral from the W. W. Deal funeral home, 4812 Georgia ave. nw., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 3:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

HAGAN, JOHN G. On Friday, December 31, 1943, JOHN G. HAGAN. Funeral from the W. W. Deal funeral home, 816 H st. ne., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 10:30 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

HALLIHAN, JOHN PHILIP. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, at Mount Alto Hospital, JOHN PHILIP HALLIHAN, husband of Helen B. Hallihan and father of Edward B. Hallihan. Friends are invited to call at Gawler's chapel, 1756 Pa. ave. nw., where services will be held on Tuesday, January 4, at 12 noon. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

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FUNERAL DIRECTORS
CREMATORIUM

Died 1

HARMON, GENEVIA. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, at her residence, 120 V st. nw., GENEVIA HARMON, the beloved wife of the late Darius Harmon and mother of Capt. Stanley D. Harmon, William K. Harmon, USN, and Arthur C. Harmon and sister of Mrs. Elmer E. Smith. Friends may call at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne, where services will be held on Tuesday, January 4, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

HENDERSON, JENNIE F. On Friday, December 31, 1943, JENNIE F. HENDERSON, wife of the late Edward F. Henderson and mother of Mrs. C. W. Hicks, Mrs. Charles A. Conrard, Charles E. and Stanley Henderson. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 11 a. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

HERRING, KATIE. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, at her residence, 244 Jefferson st. nw., KATIE HERRING, wife of the late Edward Herring and mother of Mrs. R. H. Cole and M. Edward Herring. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Tuesday, January 4, at 11 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

HOPKINS, ROBERT H. On Saturday January 1, 1944, ROBERT H. HOPKINS, of 1702 Minnesota ave. se., beloved father of Miss Lillian H. Kleaven; Mrs. Jessie B. Thro, Robert H. Hopkins, jr., of Norfolk, Va. Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Tuesday, January 4, at 10 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery, Norfolk, Va. (San Diego, Calif., and Elizabeth City, N. C. papers, please copy.)

HUNT, ARTHUR CECILE. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, ARTHUR CECILE HUNT, 42 W st. nw., beloved husband of Mary E. Hunt, father of Mrs. Roland Hatton of Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Thomas J. Wynn of Boise, Idaho. Funeral services will be held at the Huntemann funeral home, 3732 Georgia ave, nw., on Tuesday, January 4, at 2 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

JOVER, STEVE. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, at Sibley Hospital, STEVE JOVER, beloved husband of Helen Jover. Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 11 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

KANE, HENRY J. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, at Providence Hospital, HENRY J. KANE, beloved husband of Mary A. Kane and father of Henry J., jr., and Al Philip Kane and Mrs. Sara K. Young, Mrs. Mary K. McCabe. Funeral from the James T. Ryan funeral home, 317 Pa. ave. se., on Wednesday, January 5, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to St. Peter's Church, where mass will be offered at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

KIRKLAND, ROSE VIRGINIA. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, at her home, Rockville Pike, Montrose, Md., ROSE VIRGINIA KIRKLAND, beloved wife of the late William Kirkland. Remains resting at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase funeral home of Wm. Rueben Pumphrey. Funeral Tuesday, January 4, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Rockville, Md., where requiem mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

KNIGHT, LOUIS A. On Friday, December 31, 1943, LOUIS A. KNIGHT, beloved husband of Bonnie H. Knight and father of Ensign Louis A. Knight, jr., USNR, and Laura A. Knight. Funeral from his late residence, 3940 Penna. ave. se., on Tuesday, January 4, 1944, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to St. Francis Xavier Church, where mass will be offered at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

KRICK, DR. J. LOUIS. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, at Garfield Hospital, DR. J. LOUIS KRICK, husband of the late Mary K. Krick and father of Mrs. Marie E. Owens and Mrs. Helen Darmer and brother of Mrs. Annie Schmidt. Friends may call at Gawler's chapel, 1756 Pa. ave. nw., where services will be held on Tuesday, January 4, at 2 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

LIQUED, CHARLES NELSON. Suddenly on Saturday, January 1, 1944, at Doctors Hospital, CHARLES NELSON LIQUED, beloved husband of Mrs. Phyllis M. Liqued and son of William E. Liqued of Rutland, Vt. He is also survived by two brothers, Frank H. Liqued of Atlantic City, N. J., and Harry W. Liqued of Rutland, Vt. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, January 5, at 2 p. m., at the Frank E. Campbell funeral church, New York City, N. Y. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery. Washington arrangements by Hysong's funeral home.

LOGAN, GRACE BOYNTON. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, at her residence, 1315 M st. nw., GRACE BOYNTON LOGAN, wife of the late Ellis Logan. Services at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Wednesday, January 5, at 10:30 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

MARKS, GERTRUDE E. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, GERTRUDE E. MARKS, beloved wife of Alfred T. Marks. Remains resting at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se. Funeral and interment private. Please omit flowers.

MAYO, JOHN T. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, at Children's Hospital, JOHN T. MAYO, beloved son of Albert and Catherine Mayo. Services and interment National Memorial Park Cemetery, Falls Church, Va., on Monday, January 3, at 3 p. m.

McQUEEN, ELIZABETH M. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, at her residence, 5613 N. Capitol st., ELIZABETH M. McQUEEN (nee Wagner), the beloved wife of Harry L. McQueen and sister of William J. Wagner. Funeral from her late residence on Wednesday, January 5, at 9:30 a. m. Requiem mass at Nativity Church at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

MENDLER, CARRIE E. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, at her residence, 4711 10th st. nw., CARRIE E. MENDLER, beloved aunt of Nellie Mae Martin and great-aunt of Mrs. E. C. Johnston, Mrs. W. C. Blake and James E. Martin. Services at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Wednesday, January 5, at 1 p. m. Interment St. Paul's Cemetery, Alexandria, Va.

OSBORNE, PAUL C. On Friday, December 31, 1943, PAUL C. OSBORNE, beloved son of Dorothy C. Osborne and the late Frank A. Osborne and brother of Carl, Armistead, Pauline, Sylvan, Manitta and Norbert Osborne. Funeral from the W. W. Deal funeral home, 816 H st. ne., on Tuesday, January 4, 1944, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to Holy Name Church, where mass will be said at 9 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

PENDLETON, BESSIE A. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, at her residence, 1843 Monroe st. ne., BESSIE A. PENDLETON, beloved wife of Lawrence B. Pendleton and mother of Mrs. Paul A. Rose, Garrett A., George E. and Lawrence B. Pendleton, jr. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 1 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

PIMPER, ANNIE T. DENHAM. Suddenly, on Saturday, January 1, 1944, at her residence, 29 Primrose st., Chevy Chase, Md., ANNIE T. DENHAM PIMPER, wife of Charles W. Pimper. Services at the above address on Monday, January 3, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

RACHOR, FRANK H. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, at Decatur, Ill., FRANK H. RACHOR. Mr. Rachor rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey funeral home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where services will be held on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 2 p. m. Interment Washington Memorial Park Cemetery.

RILEY, SOPHIA. On Friday, December 31, 1943, at George Washington Hospital, SOPHIA RILEY, beloved wife of Millard H. Riley and mother of John L. Black, Mrs. Fred Metzger and Miss Maxime C. Riley. Services at the Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Tuesday, January 4, 1944, at 2 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

ROCK, FREDERICK M. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, at his residence, 1342 Longfellow st. nw., FREDERICK M. ROCK, beloved husband of Fannie A. Rock and father of Henry C., Edward F. and Fred M. Rock, jr. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw. Funeral services at Scottish Rite Cathedral, 2800 16th st. nw., on Tuesday, January 4, at 2 p. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

ROHRER, Lieut. Col. HARVEY V. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, at Walter Reed Hospital, Lieut. Col. HARVEY V. ROHRER, beloved husband of Bernyce Rohrer. Remains resting at the Zurhorst funeral home, 301 E. Capitol st., until 1 p. m. Tuesday, January 4, 1944. Services will be held in Fort Myer Chapel on Tuesday, January 4, 1944, at 2 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

SAIDMAN, SAMUEL. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, SAMUEL SAIDMAN, 52 years of age, beloved husband of Ida Saidman and devoted father of Lieut. Aaron G. Saidman, MC, USNR, and Rose Saidman. Funeral services at the Bernard Danzansky & Son funeral home, 3501 14th st. nw., on Monday, January 3, at 3:30 p. m. Interment Southeast Congregation Cemetery.

SANSBURY, EDWARD W. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, at George Washington Hospital, EDWARD W. SANSBURY, beloved husband of Katherine M. Sansbury, father of Mildred A. Beall and Edward Carlton Sansbury. Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

SCHMIDT, ALICE J. On Friday, December 31, 1943, at her residence, 7715 Alaska ave. nw., ALICE J. SCHMIDT, beloved wife of Paul E. Schmidt and mother of Paul E. Schmidt, jr. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 12 noon. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

SEAL, DUWEY E. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, at Sibley Hospital, DUWEY E. SEAL, the beloved wife of Mike Seal and mother of Pfc. John Ellis and Mary Eleanor Seal, and daughter of Oscar and Lelia Smith of Winchester, Va. She is also survived by four brothers and two sisters. Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Wednesday, January 5, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Couple Serves Servicemen Daily Dinners

Servicemen who find themselves currently subject to keen scrutiny by a young Washington couple need not fear they are being spied upon.

The couple will probably be Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dickson of 1441 Euclid st. nw., looking for their daily "most homesick boy in uniform" to invite him home for dinner.

Ever since Thanksgiving Day the young Dicksons—Larry being a member of the Special Services Division of the Army—have had an extra plate or two for boys away from home.

A gesture of hospitality that started with a holiday is being continued by the Dicksons. They feel that, besides buying their quota of war bonds, they can do still more for the war effort by thus strengthening morale of servicemen.

The idea for their daily generosity was suggested by sailors, who, in other cities, had been welcomed with similar invitations.

Dickson is a civilian employe of the motion picture branch of the Special Services.

Dr. Rufus Bishop, Former Envoy, Dies

Maysville, Ky., Jan. 2 (AP).—Dr. Rufus Bishop, 88, of Augusta, Ky., retired surgeon, former Ambassador to Germany and former English interpreter for the late Kaiser Wilhelm, died early today at Cincinnati, Ohio.

A native of Wilmington, Vt., he was graduated from the College of Medicine, University of Berlin, and for many years he practiced surgery in Chicago.

Died 1

SEUSS, GEORGE A. Suddenly, on Sunday, January 2, 1944, GEORGE A. SEUSS, beloved husband of Grace I. Seuss, father of Gilbert H., Clarence G., William A. Seuss, Mrs. Evelyn C. Mueller and Mrs. Virginia I. Baker and brother of William H. Seuss. Remains resting at his late residence, 4608 Tuckerman st., Riverdale, Md. Notice of funeral later. (Baltimore papers, please copy.)

SIDELL, DON C. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, at his residence, 3900 Burns pl. se., DON C. SIDELL, husband of Bernice J. Sidell. Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se. Notice of funeral later.

SIMMONS, HARRIETT COOK. On Saturday, January 1, 1944, at Takoma Park, D. C., HARRIETT COOK SIMMONS, beloved wife of Winn T. Simmons. Friends may call at the Takoma Funeral Home, 254 Carroll st., Takoma Park, D. C. Services at the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church, Tulip and Maple aves., on Monday, January 3, at 8 p. m. (Body will lie in state in church from 6:30 to 8 p. m.) Relatives and friends invited. Interment Jefferson, Ohio.

STAHLBERG, ROY F. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, ROY F. STAHLBERG of 1903 G st. nw. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., until 11 a. m., Monday, January 3, 1944. Funeral services at the Scottish Rite Temple, 2800 16th st. nw., on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

STALLINGS, MARY ELIZABETH. On Thursday, December 30, 1943, at 3720 Upton st. nw., MARY ELIZABETH STALLINGS, daughter of the late Theodore and Honora Stallings and sister of the late Benjamin D. Stallings. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Monday, January 3, 1944, at 3 p. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

SULLIVAN, EFFIE MAY. On Sunday, January 2, 1944, EFFIE MAY SULLIVAN of 1318 35th st. nw., beloved wife of Alphonso Sullivan and mother of Mrs. Edith F. Batty, Mrs. Rhoda V. Wright and Marcus T. Sullivan of Hempstead, Long Island. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, January 5, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 36th and O sts. nw., where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

WEAVER, HELEN JOSEPHINE. On Friday, December 31, 1943, HELEN JOSEPHINE WEAVER of 4917 Taylor st., North Decatur Heights, Md., beloved wife of Owen E. Weaver, USN; Robert L. Weaver, USA; Roland F. Weaver, USA; Margaret E. Weaver, Mrs. Marie Stanton and Mrs. Florence Noon. Funeral from the above residence on Tuesday, January 4, 1944, at 9:15 a. m. Mass at St. Jerome's Church, Hyattsville, Md., at 10 a. m. Interment at Fort Lincoln Cemetery. Services by Chambers Riverdale funeral home.

WINDSOR, JOHN FRANCIS. On Friday, December 31, 1943, JOHN FRANCIS WINDSOR, husband of the late Rosa D. Windsor and father of Mrs. Lillie Cooke, Mrs. Rosa DuBushy, Mrs. Edna Davis, Mrs. Eva Work, Mrs. Irene Ernest, Archie, Richard, Owen and Wallace Windsor. Funeral from the W. W. Deal funeral home, 816 H st. ne., Monday, January 3, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Forrestville, Md.

Yanks Open Another Front In New Guinea

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tember 16.

MacArthur also found the weak spot in Cape Gloucester defenses and sent the Marines in from the sea without losing a man in the landing operations.

Saidor a Jungle Village

He had barely completed the first phase of the Cape Gloucester operation when he recalled the amphibious craft and reloaded them with fresh troops and supplies and sent them into Saidor.

This new operation gives MacArthur still tighter control both from the air and sea of Vitiaz Strait, that choppy piece of water between New Guinea and New Britain which is the gateway northward to the Admiralty Islands, the big enemy sea and supply base on Truk Island, and then on to Manila in the Philippines.

Saidor, a jungle village, is approximately 115 airline miles from Finschhafen, the Allied base on the Huon Peninsula coast, and is on the coastal track which leads to Madang.

The landing forms a second threat to Madang, for Australians have advanced beyond Dumpu in the Ramu River valley to the west. However, the Finisterre range rises as high as 12,000 feet to separate the Aussies from the Americans at Saidor.

Buna Veterans in Landing

The Saidor landing came exactly one year from the day the Thirty-second Division captured Buna government station. In the following 12 months impressive gains were made, some without opposition and others by wiping out Japanese garrisons.

San Ananda on the Papuan peninsula; Goodenough, Woodlark and Trobriand Islands; Lae, Salamaua and Finschhafen, New Guinea, and Arawe and Cape Gloucester, New Britain all have been taken within the year under MacArthur's mounting offensive.

The most recent previous success, at Cape Gloucester, was completed December 30 when the Marines captured the important airdrome on the northwestern tip of New Britain.

At Arawe, by other units of Lieut. Gen. Walter Krueger's Sixth Army, was achieved December 15 with but light casualties.

Patrols Make Contact

Marine patrols made contact with the Japanese south of the Cape Gloucester airdrome, but the ground situation there remained unchanged. Many more enemy dead have been counted, to add to the previous figure of more than 1000.

A Japanese barge attempting to sneak into Borgen Bay was spotted by marine artillery and sunk. It was in this area that the Marines' east flank held off repeated heavy enemy counterattacks while the Leathernecks on the west flank proceeded to capture the airdrome.

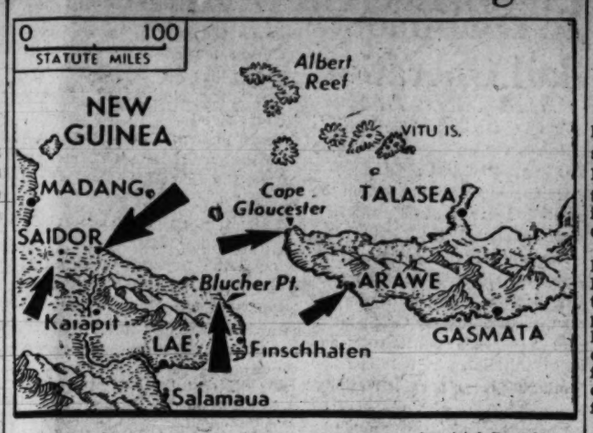
The communique reported that Navy Catalina planes sank an enemy merchant ship off the Admiralty Islands, Friday night, and that heavy and medium bombers participated in attacks along the New Guinea coast from Madang to Sio, bombing and using 100,000 rounds of ammunition in strafing.

129 Planes Downed

Amphibious Headquarters, South Pacific, Jan. 2 (AP).—Despite intense antiaircraft fire and new Japanese fighter defense tactics, Solomons-based American aircraft have downed 129 and probably 146 fighters over Rabaul, New Britain, in the eight days ended last Thursday.

A Southern Pacific headquarters spokesman announced also that 78 tons of bombs were dropped Thursday at Simpson Harbor and Lakunai Airdrome, both at Rabaul, by Liberators. At least 12 and probably nine more zeros were destroyed. One Liberator was lost bringing the eight-day losses to 22.

Yanks Make New Landing



Associated Press Map

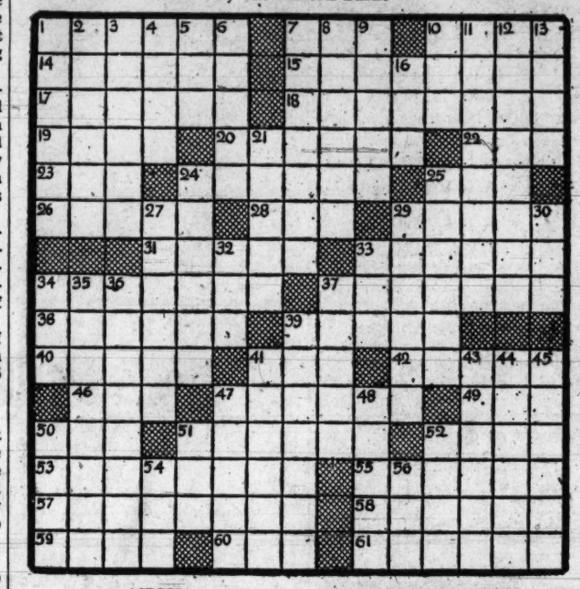
JAP ENCIRCLED—American forces have landed at Saidor, New Guinea (large arrow), it was announced last night. This landing, along with an Australian drive from the west in the Ramu Valley and up the coast from Blucher Point put the Japs in a three-way squeeze. Americans also are fighting on Cape Gloucester and in the Arawe area of New Britain Island.

Minor Earthquake Shakes Helena, Mont.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 2 (AP).—An earthquake of minor intensity shook Helena at 4:21 p. m. (MWT) today. The quake was number 2704 in a series of tremors which began in October, 1935. Police said no damage was reported.

Today's Cross Word Puzzle

By Anna Doris Burke



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10 Inland body of water
14 Wear down
15 Beverage stand
17 Shifted
18 Release from fastenings
19 Wingtike parts
20 Public brawl
22 Ration board
23 Problem
24 Swastika
25 Collection of items of information
26 Masculine name
28 Venerable
29 Influence unduly
31 Fragment
33 Fear inspiring
34 Footway in an airship
37 Administrator
38 Easy
39 Nobel prize winner
40 Maudlin
41 Male child
42 Slights intentionally
46 Chastisement
47 Formulate by thought
49 Seine
50 Marry
51 Sylvan
52 Starchy cereal
53 Spray
55 Dark
57 Guiding
58 Roll up again
59 Slice
60 Legal point
61 Genuflects

DOWN

1 Capital of Cuba
2 Lemniscus
3 Very slight breeze
4 Siberian sleeping platform
5 Short song
6 Render obscure with daylight
7 Confused flight
8 Booth Tarkington boy hero
9 Syro-Arabian mother goddess
10 Branch of the Tai race
11 Incendiary
12 Can be retained
13 Heating vessel
16 Myrna ——
21 Assemble
24 Monastery
25 Ascended
27 Lofty
29 Contusion
30 View
32 Old times
33 Exclamation expressing dislike
34 Prospective boy scout
35 Destructive
36 Teddy
37 Former North African Barbary state
39 Refuses
41 Imperturbable
43 Single
44 Form about into rings
45 Strengthens
47 Sleeper
48 Adjutant
50 Oasis
51 Pear-shaped fruit
52 Raphael
54 Amongst
56 Female swan

SATURDAY'S ANSWER

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Recreation Workers To Hear P. N. Binford

P. N. Binford, field recreational representative, Office of Comunity War Services, Federal Security Agency, will speak at 9:15 a. m. tomorrow at a meeting of the War Recreation Workers Association at the National Catholic Community Service USO, 1912 North Capitol st.

Donald F. Bautz, executive director of the Defense Commission of the Federation of Churches and president of the association, will preside.

Roosevelt Won't Talk 4th Term With Advisers, Capital Hears

By William K. Hutchinson
International News Service Staff Writer

Most Washington observers believe that President Roosevelt will seek a fourth term in the White House but it is learned authoritatively that he has not disclosed his intentions one way or the other to even his most intimate advisers.

Presidential advisers like Harry L. Hopkins, James F. Byrnes and Fred Vinson tell their friends that they cannot get an outright expression from the President as to his plans for another term. One of the trio has been telling his friends the President shuts off all efforts to draw him out on the fourth-term issue.

Despite the President's silence, however, White House politicos are furbishing the way for a fourth term nomination at the next Democratic convention. This labor has been undertaken by David K. Niles, one of the anonymous White House secretaries, with Hopkins, who managed the third-term nomination, in the background.

Walker to Tour South

Democratic National Chairman and Postmaster General Frank C. Walker recently visited the White House to "talk a little politics" with the President. He will depart on a political tour of the South right after the sessions of the Democratic National Committee, January 22. Some inkling of the President's plans for 1944 may be disclosed at the committee sessions.

It is regarded as significant that Walker intends to visit the South. The greatest opposition to a fourth term among Democrats has come from that section. Walker will visit North Carolina, home State of Senator Josiah Bailey, outspoken foe of a fourth term, who recently said the South might have to form a new Democratic Party to become free of New Deal politicians.

Highest New Dealers, like most observers, believe the President will run again. They are fortified in this view since his return from the Cairo and Teheran conferences.

They say he launched world-wide movements at these conferences, which will not be settled until after his third term expires and that, hence, he will come to the conclusion to seek a fourth term so he may have his hand in the development and administration of postwar policies.

New Slogan Cited

Some observers professed to see a fourth term declaration in the President's recent explanation of the adoption of the "Win the War" slogan as a substitute for the 11-year-old "New Deal" slogan.

High New Dealers do not share this conclusion. They say the President was being "practical" in giving the Nation a new slogan, which could be adopted by all citizens regardless of political affiliation.

The high New Dealers declare the President will make his views on a fourth term known in good time and by an outright statement. They say he will not repeat his strategy of 1940 when he remained silent but permitted his associates to swing the convention to him.

They say that if he decides on a fourth term effort, he will make his reasons clear to the American people as well as to delegates in the Democratic Convention.

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Statement

OF CONDITION
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS
December 31, 1943—77th Year

RESOURCES

Cash in Vaults, in Federal Reserve Bank, and Due from Banks and Trust Companies	$ 7,353,105.29
United States Government Bonds and Notes Direct and/or Fully Guaranteed	16,363,500.67
All Other Securities	886,780.62
Loans and Discounts	8,247,259.22
Banking House	1,092,374.98
Furniture and Fixtures	42,441.99
Real Estate Owned Other than Banking House	1.00
Other Resources	11,223.29
Total	$33,996,687.06

LIABILITIES

Demand Deposits (Exclusive of Deposits of U. S. Gov't)	$16,932,756.64
Time Deposits	9,921,030.72
Deposits of U. S. Government	3,470,130.23
Total Deposits	$30,323,917.59
Capital Stock	1,000,000.00
Surplus	2,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	506

N. Mexico GOP To Pick First '44 Delegates

By the Associated Press

Unless some other State party organization decides to meet sooner, New Mexico Republicans will select the first delegates to the 1944 preseidential nominating convention.

They have called a State convention for February 12 to name eight delegates and as many alternates to the GOP National Convention. This is several months before the usual State convention time and more than a month before the customary initial delegate-picking—by primary in New Hampshire.

New Hampshire Primary

The New Hampshire presidential primary is set for March 14, when the Democrats will elect 10 and the Republicans 11 convention delegates.

Dates and places for the Republican and Democratic national conclaves will be selected at national committee meetings January 10-11 and January 22, respectively.

Here is the way the States and Territories will select their delegates and the unofficial number assigned to each, subject to national committee ratification:

Selections by States

	By primaries D.	By primaries R.	By conventions D.	By conventions R.	By committees D.	By committees R.
Alabama	24	..	..	14	..	..
Arizona	..	..	..	8	10	..
Arkansas	..	..	..	..	20	12
California	52	50	..	..	..	..
Colorado	..	..	12	16	..	..
Connecticut	..	..	18	16	..	..
Delaware	..	..	8	9	..	..
Florida	18	..	..	..	..	18
Georgia	..	..	..	13	26	..
Idaho	..	..	10	11	..	..
Illinois	58	59	..	..	..	..
Indiana	..	..	26	29	..	..
Iowa	..	..	20	23	..	..
Kansas	..	..	16	19	..	..
Kentucky	..	..	24	22	..	..
Louisiana	..	..	..	13	22	..
Maine	..	..	10	13	..	..
Maryland	..	..	18	16	..	..
Massachusetts	34	35	..	..	..	..
Michigan	..	..	38	41	..	..
Minnesota	..	..	24	25	..	..
Mississippi	..	..	20	6	..	..
Missouri	..	..	32	30	..	..
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Virgin Islands	..	..	2	..	..	..
Totals	528	479	564	544	84	38

Grand total Democratic delegates..1176
Grand total Republican delegates..1088
*Still in question.

Ex-Mrs. Manville Robbed of Jewels

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

SUNNY AINSWORTH,

chorus girl and former seventh wife of Tommy Manville, was robbed by three men early yesterday in Chicago of jewelry she valued at $1150. A short time later one of the trio was shot and seriously wounded by policemen. The other two, however, escaped with the jewelry

Byrnes' Talk to Get Shooting-Iron Response

Representative Richard M. Kleberg (Democrat) of Texas, announced last night that he will speak on a coast-to-coast CBS hookup tomorrow night. At his office here it was said the speech was expected to be "a broadside at Messrs. Vinson, Byrnes and Bowles," the War Mobilization director, Economic Stabilization Director and Price Administrator, respectively.

The statement from his office said that Byrnes' recent address critical of higher wage and price demands, was entitled "Put That Pistol Down," while Kleberg has selected as the title for his own 30-minute talk "Hand Me Down My Shooting Iron."

75 Million Raised For Persecuted Jews

New York, Jan. 2 (AP).—The United Jewish Appeal for Refugees, Overseas Needs and Palestine announced today that about 75 million dollars had been raised since 1939 for the aid of two million Jewish suffers in many parts of the world.

Argentina, Hitler Reported Behind Bolivian Revolt

By John W. White

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Santiago, Chile, Jan. 2.—Governments in the Americas have conclusive evidence that the Bolivian revolution which ousted President General Enrique Penranda on December 20 was inspired and directed by the Argentine government in collaboration with agents of Adolf Hitler in Buenos Aires, according to South American diplomatic agents here.

These sources, who have been participating for the last two weeks in the inter-American consultations conducted in various South American capitals on the question of recognition of the de facto regime at La Paz, say Argentina delivered a virtual ultimatum to Chile and Brazil last week in an effort to force them to break away from the consultations and join Buenos Aires in recognizing the Bolivian government. Santiago and Rio de Janeiro were requested to reply within 48 hours, which terminated at noon on December 30.

Answer Reported "No"

Both Chile and Brazil are said to have replied they did not need 48 hours and that their answer was "no." Both informed Buenos Aires they had determined to take no action until the 19 governments engaged in the consultations have agreed upon joint action.

The diplomatic agents say the evidence accumulated in the customary exchange of reports, comes from such widely separated capitals as Buenos Aires, Lima, Rio de Janeiro and La Paz. It is held to include proof that the Argentine government of President Pedro Pablo Ramirez promised the Bolivian revolutionists early recognition and substantial financial support intended to counterbalance, in part at least, any economic sanctions that Washington might take.

Argentina's effort to get Brazilian and Chilean support for recognition of the La Paz regime was the result, diplomats say, of Bolivia's attempt to "collect" on Argentina's promise of early recognition. It was this development that led to reports last week that Buenos Aires would recognize La Paz within 48 hours. When Brazil and Chile balked, according to the diplomats, Gen. Alberto Gilbert, foreign minister of Argentina, told Bolivia the Buenos Aires government had received new information that would have to be studied before recognition could be announced.

Trade Promise Reported

One South American diplomat said today the Bolivian revolt leaders had a definite promise the Ramirez regime would spend one million dollars in purchasing tin, rubber and other Bolivian products now going to the United Nations.

Evidence gathered here on the pro-Nazi sympathies of men now in power at La Paz, diplomats say, includes reports of enthusiastic pro-Axis declarations and attacks on the United States and the United Nations by Victor Paz Estenssoro, recognized brains of the La Paz regime, when he entertained at the German Club in Buenos Aires during a recent visit there to confer with the military clique that put Ramirez in power.

Reports also say Col. Juan Peron, widely acknowledged as Argentina's real leader, boasted after the La Paz revolt that he and other members of the "colonel's lodge," had engineered it and that they would soon start similar movements in Paraguay, Uruguay, Peru and Chile with the object of setting up a strongly anti-United States bloc of South American nations.

Garrison Named Public Member Alternate of WLB

Appointment by President Roosevelt of Lloyd K. Garrison, general counsel of the War Labor Board, as the board's first alternate public member, was announced yesterday.

The board also announced appointments of:

Jesse Freidin of New York, WLB asociate general counsel, as general counsel; Theodore W. Kheel, chairman of the Second Regional War Labor Board in New York, as executive director of the national board; Frederick H. Bullen, disputes director of the Fifth Regional Board, Cleveland, as deputy executive director, and Thomas L. Norton, vice chairman of the Second Regional Board, as acting chairman of the New York board.

Garrison, on leave from the University of Wisconsin where he is dean of the law school, was chairman of the First National Labor Relations Board preceding the present board created by the Wagner Act. His appointment conforms with an executive order November 20 providing for alternate public members on WLB.

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Panagra Breaks Flying Record to South America

New York, Jan. 2 (AP).—Pan American-Grace Airways announced today that operations during 1943 over routes serving the eight republics on the west coast of South America had exceeded by far all 1942 records.

Panagra piled up a total of 4,700,000 plane miles during the year, compared with 4,030,000 in 1942, in adition to 57,500,000 passenger miles, as against 43 million in the previous year.

A total of 60,000 passengers was carried in 1943, compared with 56,770 in 1942, while air express increased to 2 million pounds compared with 1,330,000 pounds previously. Personnel rose from 1600 in 1942 to 2500 in 1943.

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As the result of the exhaustion of local markets and high freights on turkeys from the Pacific Coast, Washington dealers yesterday expressed the opinion there would be no more of the birds sold here this winter.

It is customary for the Capital markets to draw on supplies from the Pacific Coast to supply the new year's demand, as local stocks are usually exhausted by Thanksgiving. The Midwest usually supplies the Christmas demand.

But turkeys from the Pacific Coast cost 3½ cents a pound more than those bought locally, due to the freight charges and dealers assert they cannot absorb this charge and still sell within the ceiling.

T. H. Lane to Direct War Finance Publicity

Appointment of Thomas H. Lane, former Young & Rubicam advertising account executive, as director of advertising, press and radio, for the war finance division oof the Treasury Department, was announced yesterday by Ted Gamble, national director of the war finance division.

Lane succeeds Vincent F. Callahan, who has resigned to reenter private business. Prior to employment by Young & Rubicam he was a reporter for the New York Herald Tribune.

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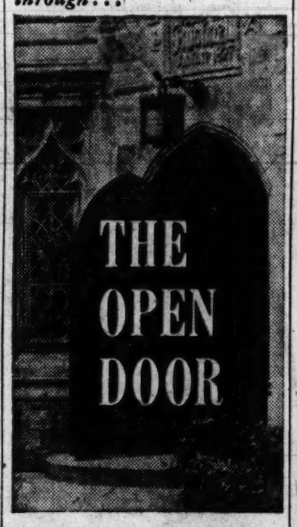

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4 Recaptured In Jail-Break; One Begs to Die

Davenport, Iowa, Jan. 2 (AP).—Thirty-one hours after staging a violent break from the Anamosa State Reformatory, four long-term convicts were back in custody tonight.

All surrendered without a struggle, although one begged his captor to shoot him, saying, "I want to die."

Capture of the last of the desperadoes, Steve Ratliff, 31, serving 25 years for robbery, came shortly before 9 p. m., when John Lindberg, driver of a West Davenport bus, became suspicious of the passenger who sat in the rear with his hands over his face.

Lindberg stopped at the bus barns and called the police, who took Ratliff off the bus after it had gone only a few more blocks.

"I've been all over the United States and I never saw them work as fast as they do here in Iowa," said Ratliff, only one of the four who didn't have a previous jail break on his record.

First to be caught was Frank Brown, 23, serving a 10-year term for automobile theft. He was taken at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Warren after helping their 14-year-old son, Herbert, deliver Sunday morning papers.

The elder Warren telephoned police when he read in the paper of the escape and recognized Brown as one of the fugitives—a fact known to Herbert, who said he was too frightened to turn in Brown.

Dog Betrays Two

Later John Bryl, 31, and Ralph Cassidy, 34, both serving 25-year terms for robbery, were taken in a barn belonging to Frank Martin. Martin's attention was drawn to the a barn belonging to State Senator Frank Martin. Martin's attention was drawn to the barn by his barking dog. Armed with a shotgun, he ordered the men out. As they emerged, Cassidy told Martin to shoot him.

Cassidy told officers the quartet separated last night after abandoning their stolen car in a hail of police bullets.

Shortly after he and his companions separated, Brown went to the Warren home and asked Herbert for a drink. He sat in the living room talking with the youth, revealing that earlier in the day he had escaped from prison after "a hard fight." The frightened boy's mother was at a movie and his father was asleep in an adjoining room.

An hour later Herbert's friend, Warren Yates, 14, appeared, to help Herbert with his morning paper route. Brown left the house with them, giving them $2 not to betray him.

Sheriff Enters

On reaching the building of the Davenport Democrat, Brown waited outside while the boys went in for their papers. While they were there Sheriff Walter Buese entered and got a copy of the paper, but the boys were too frightened to tell him about Brown. The fugitive then accompanied the boys on their route, later returning to the Warren home.

The elder Warren became suspicious of Brown upon reading in the paper the story of the escape and telephoned police, who surrounded the house and captured Brown peaceably.

Cassidy told police the escape had been planned two weeks ago, that Bryl was the leader and that all armed themselves with crude, self-made knives.

In the prison break, preceded by a fight in which Cassidy said Ratliff, suffered a broken collarbone and in which a guard was stabbed in the abdomen, the convicts tooks as hostages the deputy warden, L. J. Womachka, and a guard captain, Dan Beam. They were released an hour and a half later.

Looting Shuts Club, but Woman Keeps Faith in Mexican Youth

Los Angeles, Jan. 2 (AP).—Mrs. Christine Sterling has closed "Club Los Pachucos," her bold project for ending the battles with knives and bottles among underprivileged juveniles in Los Angeles' Mexican colony.

It's not that the club wasn't a hit. Saturday night attendance approached 500. A juke box blared incessantly as tanned-skinned youths with ducktail haircuts and zoot-suits whirled their girls around. In a corner was a full-size boxing ring, where fellows could pair off for friendly sparring—or settle fueds with boxing gloves instead of knives. The club's nickels paid the rent.

But twice old gang animosities flared and there were bitter free-for-alls. After each, Mrs. Sterling sternly closed the club; then reopened it in response to almost tearful promises of no more violence.

Juke Box Looted

One night recently prowlers broke in, ripped the juke box apart and stole its coins along with the boxing gloves and punching bags. That settled it, she announced; the place would close permanently.

Despite the closing, she has not lost faith in the young Mexican-Americans.

It's just that the tougher element couldn't be controled with limited supervisory personnel, she says, "and it was too hard a job for a woman, especially one with other work."

And so Father Eugene Herran, padre of Los Angeles' old Plaza Church, will carry on with a club in a church-owned building near the railway terminal. Mrs. Sterling will give what help she can.

She started being a good neighbor to Los Angeles' 200,000 persons of Mexican ancestry a dozen years before the practice became hemispherically fashionable. She's the founder and mother of famed Olvera st., picturesque tourist mecca of Mexican shops and cafes.

When Mrs. Sterling came here more than 20 years ago from her native Oakland, Calif., Olvera st. was rut-seamed, slit by an open sewer and littered with tin cans and trash. On the foresaken passageway stood the oldest house in Los Angeles, its 3-feet-thick adobe walls bricked up in 1818, when Spain then ruled the then tiny pueblo.

Publicizes History

Mrs. Sterling put up a huge sign in front of the house, describing its romantic history; she got the newspapers to print stories and pictures, persuaded five business and civic leaders to put up $5000 each for a restoration project. The street was graded and paved. Then Mrs. Sterling invited in the Mexicans.

Potters, weavers, glass blowers, candle makers, blacksmiths and sandal makers set up shops. Others sold Mexican candies, cigarettes, pine nuts, jumping beans. Tourists flocked to buy these wares and dine at little oilclothed tables on tamales and enchiladas.

Altogether Olvera st. took 500 Mexicans off the then crowded relief rolls. It still flourishes. Mrs. Sterling, as manager, receives $166 a month.

In 1937 her good-neighborliness embraced the Chinese. Los Angeles' old China Town was razed to make way for a new Union Railway Terminal. She was asked to direct plans for building a new China City, and there sprang up tiny red, green and yellow shops filled with art objects and steaming foods. There were gardens, paths and flower-filled pools.

At China City's first anniversary, Dr. Po Chee Fung, who translated the speeches, said:

"Mrs. Sterling has been sent by the gods to the Chinese people."

Martha Raye Sued For $18,315 in Taxes

Los Angeles, Jan. 2 (AP).—Internal Revenue Collector Harry C. Westover has filed an income tax lien against Actress Martha Raye, claiming she still owes the Government $18,315 from her 1942 earnings.

Dr. Poling Attacks Ban on Esquire By Postoffice

Philadelphia, Jan. 2 (AP).—The Rev. Daniel A. Poling, editor of the Christian Herald, said today he can find "absolutely no justification in the bill of rights" for the Postoffice Department's withdrawal of second class mailing privileges from Esquire Magazine.

"However worthy the motive," said Dr. Poling in a sermon at the Baptist Temple, "here is something dangerous that must not stand."

Gallinger Center Ready This Week

The second 50-bed unit of the Rapid Treatment Center at Gallinger Hospital is expected to be ready this week, awaiting final inspection and acceptance of the building by the District Commissioners, District Health Officer George C. Ruhland announced yesterday.

Dr. Ruhland explained that opening of the new unit will be another step in bettering the local venereal disease control program, by providing facilities for intensive treatment on a larger scale.

Two D. C. Gunners Fight Luftwaffe On Merchant Ship

Two natives of Washington are in the crew of the steamship Pierre L'Enfant (The Infant) which is fighting valiantly against the Luftwaffe, the Navy reported yesterday.

In a recent trip to the Mediterranean, the ship's gunners shot down three Nazi torpedo planes and saved a sister ship.

The Washington crew members are John Wiley Page, seaman first class, of 919 Potomac ave., se., and William Franklin Spitzer, seaman first class, of Daniels Park, Md.

The Infant was nearing Gibraltar recently when 30 enemy bombers approached and strafed the convoy. The gunners brought one down in flames and forced several others to release their torpedoes prematurely. A second plane was blown apart, and another was brought down.

Ringside Table

—With Mary Harris

IT'S COMING UP!—Meaning "The Manor," new Sixteenth st. spot. Undeterred by the impossibility of achieving its hoped-for New Year's Eve opening, the Manor is now preparing for a sure-enough opening next Saturday. There'll be Jeanne Reed's songs, dancing to a Sidney band, Delmonico supper dishes, a rolling bar due for stops at all tables on a 15-minute schedule . . . Jeanne Reed, a tiny fireball who tosses out songs like bombs, will be a top-fight addition to the nitery picture. She sang at the Windsor Room when Nora Williams was bedded with flu, also was coaxed to the mike at Restaurant "400" recently and took the place by storm. Before coming to Washington Jeanne was the esinging star at New York's Club 18. Which gives you an idea of her caliber.

The Mardi Gras, upstairs branch of the Club Jain, was opened barely in time for the New Year's Eva stampede. It's gay as a circus, even has a "man on the flying trapeze." Open for afternoon cocktails as well as in the evening.

NEW BANDS FOR 1944. Del Rio will start the new band parade of 1944 with a double-header on Thursday when Bob Waples' Broadway style orchestra and Pete Rotunda's Latin-American crew will sound off. Carlos Molina's Orchestra, that's held down the Del Rio bandstand for months, will move into the Capitol Theater . . . Tony Pastor's Band, one of the most popular in the country, returns to the Victory Room on January 14 when Justin Stone's outfit will trek for New York and Hollywood. Either Jan Garber or Ray Kinney probably will succeed Tony . . . There'll be a new band at the Carlton's Congo Room this weekend because Harold Nagel closes on Friday. It's a secret so far. Not even the Carlton press agent knows its identity.

Frank Fay's opening at Troika on Thursday night is the shining event of the week in the night-life sector. In case you don't remember, Mr. Fay is likely to do or say anything that you can't imagine.

NEW FACES AND CHANGES. Joan Stanton, the willowy blonde, freshly arrived in the King Cole

ELLEN MITCHELL, young Western singer, who opens in the Mayflower Lounge this evening

Room, is the discovery of Lieut. Comdr. Vincent Gallagher. And he's the gentleman, remember, who also found Evelyn Knight . . . Sonny King, singing star of the Trade Winds, is all that his press agent said—and more. Especially when he murmurs "Besame Mucho" . . . that excellent young organist, Lee Potter, is now holding forth in Burt's Trans-Lux . . . Jean Lee, the dark-eyed torch bearer of song, who did so well in the Dubonnet and Windsor Rooms, has joined Washie Bratcher's Orchestra.

The "1944 Broadway Revue" opens today at Lotus. Star performers will be Dancer Louise Rence, youthful swingsters Jerry and Marshall and the Four Esquires.

LOVE WAS IN BLOOM at Paul Young's the other night. First came the big surprise twenty-fifth anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Appel with the guests all greeting each other with kisses while Felix Zimmer played wedding music. . . . Then major domo Willie Biron told us he was shuffling off to Buffalo any minute to visit his fiancee, Hilda Hitchcock, whom he met at Miami two years ago. "Look what I'm taking her," said Willie, flashing a diamond ring of searchlight proportions. "Guess we'll be married in January."

ON THE STRANGE SIDE. We saw some Japanese soldiers in Mayfair. But they were in U. S. uniform, had been drafted like other American citizens . . . Leslie Miller of the Neptune Room received a note lately that obviously was not meant for him. So he sent it along to the right person, a customer. A week later he receive da letter of thanks, saying that a marriage had resulted. "But should they thank me," ponders Leslie . . . A parcel of distinguished Hindus visited Olmsted's Club while Imogene Coca, who closed lately, was doing her East Indian dance, are reported to have burst into shrieks of incredulous laughter . . . The Myles Hallett band at El Patio are currently sipping Scotch and bitters (which tastes like patent medicine). They say a visiting Britisher told them it was good for whot ailed them.

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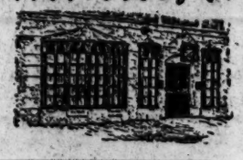

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This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Big league baseball is a tough old game and will operate next season, but there is no concealing the fact that it absorbed two more jolts within the last few days.

The reclassification of Vernon Stephens, the Browns' star shortstop from 4-F to 1-A the other day must have had its broad implications for the club owners. The teams were getting by last season very nicely with a sprinkling of 4-Fs, fellows with damaged knee cartilages, slight heart murmurs, wired ankles and other ailments that the Army didn't like at first.

POVICH

Stephens was one of the 4-Fs who was turned down by the Army. His knee had a habit of caving in and the Army shooed him away from the induction board early last summer. But now the Army has lowered its standards. They recalled Stephens and tagged him 1-A. What with the manpower situation getting more critical, the Browns lost one of the league's best shortstops.

If it can happen to Stephens, then the other 4-Fs in the big leagues, which are full of them, are practically in the Army. The teams are going to be hurt.

Just as ominous, perhaps, was the draft board ruling in the case of Charley Keller before he accepted a commission in the Maritime service. Keller, who had been reclassified from 3-A to 1-A, had asked for a six-months deferment and was given it on one condition by the Frederick, Md., draft board which declared he would be "frozen" in his defense plant job for that period.

Under that provision, Keller could not return to the Yankees, and it raises the question of other ball players who are holding defense jobs during the off season. Will they too be frozen in them? If so, they can kiss off any ideas of baseball for 1944.

Baseball, as we were saying, got by very nicely last season when the draft boards were not so sorely beset by quota troubles. Two men on one club left their war jobs in munition factories to resume baseball with no squawks being raised, but evidently the manpower people now are cracking down.

The rate at which the 3-A's, family men, are being reclassified 1-A, bodes no good for baseball either. The 3-A's made up the bulk of the rosters in the big leagues last season, but the time has come when pre-Pearl Harbor fathers are being inducted in great numbers and pre-Pearl Harbor fatherhood is no longer any deterrent to draft boards.

As one ball player who recently was inducted observed, "I've got a 10-year-old boy. When they were talking about not taking pre-Pearl Harbor fathers, they must have meant before Pearl Harbor was built."

To the credit of the club owners, they have sought no special privileges for the ball players, and the taint of draft dodging has never attached itself to baseball in this war. Clark Griffith keynoted the owners' attitude when he declared two years ago, "baseball wants no special privileges. I'll never ask a deferment for any ball player and when their time comes I'll be proud to see them go."

It was Griffith, too, who first declared "Baseball will continue to operate as long as each club can place nine men on the field." That is now the slogan of both big leagues, and the game is certain to weather the present crisis on that basis.

The caliber of baseball won't be as good, of course. It fell off pretty badly last year, for that matter. But there will be enough legitimate 4-Fs and over-age players, and some with medical discharges, to man the teams and as long as the others put a team on the field the customers will be there too.

It was demonstrated last season that the fans are not hyper-critical about the type of baseball they see, as long as it is a contest. The standard of play was lower, but it was relatively lowered among all the teams and the competition did not go out of the game. If baseball in 1944 is more loose and error-ridden, it won't make much difference.

The customers have demonstrated that in a critical spot when they are rooting for the home team, they are just as pleased by an error of the opposition as by a clean hit by the home club. Their big idea is to go out there and see two teams play boll. If the score is 11 to 9 he may like it even better than the tight 1 to 0 pitching duel at which he is supposed to thrill and perhaps does not.

On the Line

With CONSIDINE

New York, Jan. 2 (INS).Fans of the late great Ring Lardner should no longer be deprived of the works of Corpl. Zeke Bonura, elephantine former big leaguer who is doing a wonderful job around Oran as a sports director for special services.

CONSIDINE

Through the courtesy of Al Schacht, no slouch himself when it comes to giving of his time to the boys in uniform, we present a couple of letters written by big Zeke, the good-natured guy from New Orleans who used to play first base like a man smoothing a cement pavement. By a wonderful coincidence the letters begin with an affectionate reference to "Al." Just as the letters of Lardner's immortal rookie began.

"Hello Al," Zeke wrote after Al left North Africa for home. "Just a few line to say hello and hope you got home safe and sound. Inclose is a few pictures of yourself they took of you over here, thought you might like them.

"Al, I must say you really made a big hit over here with all my buddies. They are still talking about you and always will, for you really give them a treat when you came over here. The kid in my office, said he was going to send your cloths home by next week sometime.

"Hey Al, it's five minutes, let's go, we only have to do five shows today, come on, let's go, what you waiting for. (A reference to Zeke's troubles in rousing the slumbering Mr. S. after a bad night in N. A.)

"Well I got to run along now Al, hope to see you soon sometime."

And:

"Hello Al:

"Just received your letter and sure was glad to hear from you and that you got home safe and sound.

"Boy, they are still talking about you over here, I'll say one thing, if you would run for mayor of Oran, North Africa, you would win in a walk away. Because the fellows over here have not forgotten what you have done for them.

"And before I forget Al, I want to thank you for all the nice things you have said about me over there. I sure got a lot of fan mail over here and they cut out the clipping and send them to me, that is how I know what you saying over there. They also have a good picture of you and I in the Newsweek Magasine.

"And when I get off that boat, with my buddies after the war, we are coming right straight to Al Schacht's steak house. And I am going to take the whole dam boat load over to your place or I'll know the reason why. So tell the mayor there to get the cops into shape for this big day at Al Schacht's.

"Remember those French and Italian people I took you over to eat at their house? Well, they always ask about you, everytime I go there. Remember, you ate some much you could hardly do your work that day, and you gave me hell for it too. I got a kick out of that.

"Oh, Al before I forget, I am putting on a big bowl game over here for the fellows called the Arab Bowl game. It is two football games, the first game the Army play the Navy and in the second game Oran champs play Casablanca champs over here for the championship of North Africa. I hope it don't rain for that day, for it has been raining like hell over here now.

"Well Al, I guess I have said enough for this time, but I do wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and hope you get plenty points, for when I come in, for you going to need them.

"Guess I'll spend my holidays with the camels and the Arabs, but I'll be thinking of good old America nad how.

"Tell my friends, there hello for me Al, your pal. P. S. Hope you enjoy the holidays very much."

Al was talking about Zeke the other night. "That guy's doing a wonderful job over there. He's got even the shellshocked guys playing baseball. He's got leagues and teams all over a 200-mile area around Oran. Everybody knows him. You ride along in a jeep with him and fellows wave and yell at him from the road. They made him a corporal a long time ago, and he's doing a job that calls for an even higher rank, but he's never worn his stripes and never will. He wants to remain just one of the boys. He's a great guy, and a credit to baseball."

So say we all of us.

Bowl Games Bowl Over Grid Experts

By Harold Claassen

New York, Jan. 2 (AP).—Football followers had as big a headache today trying to figure out the bowl results as they had the day before while trying to explain their own flowing bowl escapades of New Year's Eve.

Southern California, a 5-to-2 underdog, blasted the University of Washington, 29 to 0; Texas, a 2-to-1 choice, could do no better than a 7-to-7 tie with Randolph Field, and Louisiana State upset Texas A. & M., 19 to 14, after losing to the Cadets in the regular seasons.

Those games were the features of the Rose, Cotton and Orange Bowls, respectively.

In addition there were Georgia Tech's hard pressed victory over Tulsa, 20 to 18, in the Sugar Bowl; Southwest Texas' last-period 7 to 0 conquest of New Mexico in the Sun Bowl and the East's 13 to 13 tie of the West in the annual Shrine game at San Francisco. Prior to the games, Tech, Southwestern and the West were easy favorites.

Arkansas True to Form

Virtually the only game that went according to the betting books was Southwestern Louisiana's 24 to 7 job on the Arkansas A. and M. outfit in the Oil Bowl.

While the name players of the various teams lived up to their advance billing, at least three—Steve Van Buren of LSU, Glen Dobbs of Randolph and Alvin Dark of Southwestern Louisiana—added to their luster and Tulsa produced a new star in the spindle-legged Jimmy Ford.

Van Buren, the 200-pound moving van of the Tigers, gained all but 9 of his team's 181 yards along the ground, counted 13 points and passed for the remaining 6.

Dobbs tormented Texas all afternoon although the rain and mud cut down his passing efficiency. But he tossed for the Ramblers' tally and once got off a 68-yard punt. Ralph Ellsworth, Texas speedster, flung the equalizing pass for the Longhorns.

Mud and rain also handicapped Dark but he finished the day with a touchdown, a field goal and three extra points and passed for another six-pointer.

Prokop Back for Finale

Eddie Prokop, fulcrum of the Georgia Tech offense, came back in the final period after sitting out much of the first half, to engineer a ground attack that finally spilled Tulsa. Prior to that last-period 79-yard march, however, Ford had ambled 76 yards for one marker and generally dominated the scene for the 69,000 spectators.

The twin batteries of Pitchers Jim Hardy and Ainslie Bell and Catchers George Callanan and Gordon Gray were mainly responsible for the Trojan Rose Bowl win and a trio of freshmen—Dean Sensanbaugher of Ohio State and Bobby Hoernschemyer of Indiana for the East and Herman Wedemeyer of St. Mary's for the West—highlighted the Shrine game.

Rose Bowl—Southern California, 29; Washington, 0.
Sugar Bowl—Georgia Tech, 20; Tulsa, 18.
Orange Bowl—Louisiana State, 19; Texas A & M., 14.
Cotton Bowl—Texas, 7; Randolph Field, 7.
Sun Bowl—Southeastern of Texas, 7; New Mexico, 0.
Oil Bowl—Southwestern Louisiana, 24; Arkansas A & M, 7.
Arab Bowl—Army, 10; Navy, 7.
East-West—East, 13; West, 13.

2-Man-Team Match Slated For Arena Card

Mike Demetra and John Vansky, a couple of tough New York grapplers, have been booked to meet Johnny Long, Baltimore shipyard worker, and Maurice LaChappelle, the Flying Frenchman, in a special two-man team match in Wednesday night's wrestling show at Turner's Arena.

The headliners are George Macricostas, the Golden Greek, and Don Evans, the Pacific Coast star, who will clash in a return bout, one-fall to-a-finish.

LaChappelle and Long formed one of the most popular two-man teams of the past season and had an unbeaten mark. They are facing an up-and-coming young twosome in Demetra and Vansky, both of whom have showed to good advantage in arena competition.

Promoter Turner also announced that The Yellow Mask, conqueror last week of Michaele Leone, had been signed for a special 30-minute match. His opponent will be named today.

Meanwhile, Promoter Turner, studying the request of George Macricostas for a referee other than Tiny Bouque to handle the bout, said he hoped to obtain either Cyclone Burns of Baltimore, or Willie Clark of Philadelphia. Both are nationally known. Macricostas was disqualified last week against Evans after slugging Referee Bouque.

Bender Improving

Philadelphia, Jan. 2 (AP).—Chief Bender, Indian pitcher who won six World Series games for the Philadelphia Aathletics in the early 1900's, was reported today to be recovering from a serious attack of influenza. The Chief, now 61, recently was signed a coach for the A's.

Scores

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Iowa Navy Preflight, 50; Ottumwa Naval Station, 28.
St. Mary's Preflight, 57; California, 36.
San Francisco U., 33; Presidio of San Francisco, 29.
Brown, 60; Quonset Point, 50.
Livermore Air Base, 40; Salinas Air Base, 12.

PRO BASKETBALL
Washington Bears, 44; Brooklyn Indians, 25.
Wilmington Blue Bombers, 39; New York Renaissance, 33.

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE
Montreal, 5; Detroit, 2.
Boston, 13; New York, 3.

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE
Hershey Bears, 3; Providence Reds, 1.
Cleveland, 4; Buffalo, 2.

COLLEGE HOCKEY
Dartmouth, 8; Colgate, 4.

SOCCER
Philadelphia Nationals, 4; Lighthouse Boys Club, 3. (National Challenge Cup.)
Baltimore Soccer Club, 8; Ruggiero Soccer Club, 6. (National Challenge Cup.)
Kearny Scots, 4; Hoboken, 3; (National Challenge Cup.)

Georgia Tech, Tulsa Broke Bowl Marks

New Orleans, Jan. 2 (AP).—Georgia Tech and Tulsa University broke at least three records in Sugar Bowl Stadium Saturday when Tech beat Tulsa, 20-18. In fact they broke the record for breaking Sugar Bowl records.

This statistical vandalism first drew attention in the second quarter when a spike-legged stripling by name of Jimmy Ford rollicked 76 yards for a Tulsa touchdown, the longest ring trip in the ten-year Sugar Bowl history.

Ford skimmed around his own right end and ran the sideline like a big league tight-wire artist; once in the open his speed assured him plenty of privacy.

Highest Total

Sugar Bowl officials pointed out that in no other bowl game here were so many points scored, and that the 18-point second quarter was the busiest yet recorded in the sugar test. Santa Clara's 21-14 win over Louisiana State seven years ago was the closest thing to it.

But, with the score board reading like a couple of Social Security numbers, Tulsa was unable to earn a single point after touchdown. Halfback Clyde Leforce couldn't find the range that would have given the Oklahomans an upset.

Against the University of Utah Leforce sliced 7 out of 11 between the uprights. Coach Henry Frnka said that normally Leforce just kind of waves his foot at the ball and the result is technically perfect.

Leforce said after the Sugar Bowl game that he didn't even remember missing them. He said he tackled Georgia Tech's Eddie Prokop in the first quarter and drew a blank for the rest of the afternoon.

Prokop Outstanding

Prokop's wide-legged sprints were the core of a great Georgia Tech ground game which netted a total 372 yards and coasted in a solid surge for 78 yards and the game-winning touchdown in the final quarter, bringing Tech into the throne room from behind. Tulsa was seldom able to knock Prokop off his feet. They had to smother him.

Ford's long gallop represented more than a third of the yardage gained by Tulsa's outclassed ground machine. In the air, Tulsa completed six pitches for 87 yards; Tech gained 83 yards on four.

Payoff plays were LeForce's screen pass to Ed Shedlosky on the Tech 15 in the first quarter; Ford's nonstop junket in the second; a one-foot line smash in the second by Tech's Frank Broyles, topping off a 71-yard drive; LeForce's six-yard swing around end in the second; Prokop's third-quarter pass to End Phil Tinsley who skipped 30 yards with it, and the long fourth-quarter push of Tech's which finally punched Fullback Ed Scharfschwerdt across from about one foot out.

Navy Wins, 19 to 0, Before 10,000 In Lily Bowl

Hamilton, Bermuda, Jan. 2 (AP).—A record crowd of 10,000 watched the Navy gain revenge for last year's defeat by handing the Army eleven a 19-0 shellacking here today in the second annual Lily Bowl football game.

Led by Henry Jenson, Dan Vargo and Chester Wimberg, the Sailors swept to a touchdown in the first quarter and added two more in the second period. The Army was not able to cross the 50-yard line all afternoon.

Charles Painter, James Kirk, Richard Arnold and Robert Murphy were outstanding for the Soldiers who had won the first Lily Bowl a year ago, 19-18.

Tropical Park

Entries

By the Associated Press

1—1-70; $1000; maiden 3-yr.-old colts and geldings.

General War...	116	Big Raid.....	116
Picanny	116	*Guy Hottel..	111
Azni	116	What Happened.	116
Lord Hairan....	116	Whippet	116

2—¾; $1000; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.

*Faust II.....	108	Byrones	113
Peep Show.....	113	Liberty Flight..	116
Strolling Easy..	108	Squadron	113
Frontier Jane...	108	*Sobriquet	111
*Good Fun.....	106	*Moonlite Bobby.	111
Bulrush	113		

3—¾; $1000; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.

*Spare Room...	104	Ho Rum.....	109
Anthem	109	Vinal Haven....	116
*Terry May....	106	Bulrushes	114
Carlisia	116		

4—¾; $1200; allowances; the St. Petersburg; 4-yr.-olds.

*Free Air.....	106	*Gallant Witch..	106
Roman Glory...	116	For Granted	111
Blue Pom.....	116	Chance Grey....	116

5—¾; $1200; 3-yr.-olds; claiming.

*Psychic Rate...	103	Mintnickers	106
*Don Miller....	109	Valdina Malden.	112
F. B. Eye.....	111	Campanula	111
Celsics	111	U. S. Salute....	111

6—¾; $1500; allowances; the Hallendale; 4-yr.-olds up.

*Equistar	103	Sparkling Maid..	101
Billy Rolfe.....	111	Charitable	114
Pititthere	114	Fair Call.....	111

7—1⅛; $1000; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.

*Flying Silver...	102	*Landslide	107
Tower Maid....	110	Milk Flip.....	112
Impregnable ...	112	*Gala Light.....	104
Millo	112	Fancy Free.....	112
Wise Brave....	112	*Company Rest..	105

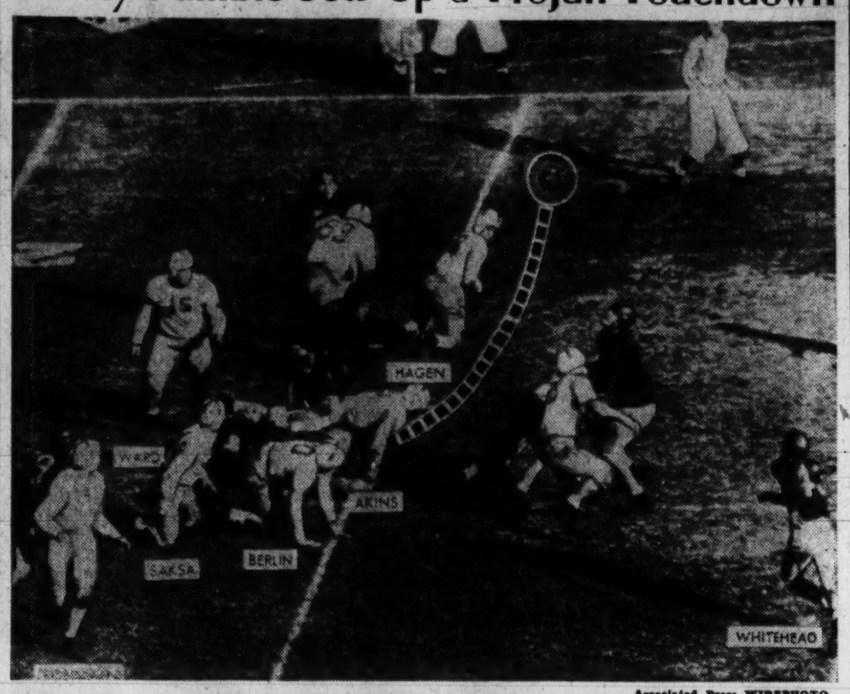
8—1⅛; $1000; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.

Flemingsburg ..	110	Fujiwara	110
*War C'munique	100	Barney's Gal....	108
Jay Stevens....	113	*Supreme Ideal..	105
Grand Day....	110	Belay	113
*Free Trader...	111	Gun Site.....	110
Panthorn	108		

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

TROPICAL PARK SELECTIONS (Fast)
1—Whippet, Lord Hairan, Big Raid.
2—Liberty Flight, Moonlite Bobby, Good Fun.
3—Spare Room, Vinal Haven, Bulrushes.
4—Blue Pom, Chance Grey, Roman Glory.
5—Valdina Malden, U. S. Salute, Campanula.
6—PUTITTHERE, Charitable, Billy Rolfe.
7—Impregnable, Milk Flip, Fancy Free.
8—Grand Day, Belay, Gun Site.

Husky Fumble Sets Up a Trojan Touchdown



Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Al Akins, University of Washington halfback, fumbled the ball (circle) on a third quarter play in the Rose Bowl game at Pasadena New Year's Day and Southern California recovered on the Huskies' 31-yard line and several plays later scored their third touchdown, via the aerial route. The Trojans, incidentally, won, 29-0.

Golden Gloves Finals Slated Friday Night

The eleventh annual Golden Gloves boxing tournament will be brought to a spectacular close at Turner's Arena Friday night when seniors and novices fight it out for individual and team supremacy in 15 classes.

The novices will be active in all eight divisions, while the seniors will lack representation only in the 118-pound class.

A capacity crowd is expected to sit in on the hostilities as the youngsters put in stirring bids for popular prizes that go with Golden Gloves glory.

Red hot team rivalries are assured both in the senior and novice divisions.

St. Mary's Has 5 Entries

The St. Mary's Club of Alexandria, has qualified five finalists and Washington Boys Club has four in the senior division. The Apollo Club has two and the Quantico Marines and Merrick Club one each, an unattached entry rounding out the field.

Team competition is even closer in the novice division. National Training School and the Merrick Club have placed three each in the championship round, and St. Mary's Washington Boys Club, Pete's A. C. and Quantico Marines two each. The Apollo Club and Naval Torpedo Station each have one representative.

So closely bunched are the novices that a five-way tie for the team title is a possibility.

Individual Rivalries

Fine individual rivalries are promised all along the line. One of the most colorful of these looms in the 135-pound senior class where the Merrick Club's Ray Hanbury, brother of Lew Hanbury, tests defending champion Pete Gilinski of St. Mary's.

Friday's championship pairings:

NOVICE DIVISION

112 Pounds—Dave Coakley (Pete's A. C.) vs. Claude Lawrence (St. Mary's).
118 Pounds—Don Carter (National Training School) vs. Joe Smith (Naval Torpedo Station).
126 Pounds—Bob Duvall (Washington Boys Club) vs. Ray Kennedy (Washington Boys Club).
135 Pounds—Billy Walsh (National Training School) vs. Bernie Barry (National Training School).
147 Pounds—Blackie Annisi (Quantico Marines) vs. Cliff Hart (Pete's A. C.).
160 Pounds—Benny Aquilino (Apollo Club) vs. Francis Sweeney (Merrick Club).
175 Pounds—Ted Szostak (Quantico Marines) vs. Chris Brown (Merrick Club).
Heavyweights — John Clark (Merrick Club) vs. Eugene Wilson (St. Mary's Club).

SENIOR DIVISION

11 Pounds—Puggy King (Washington Boys Club) vs. Billy Kerge (Apollo A. C.).
126 Pounds—Jimmy Vakas (Washington Boys Club) vs. Joe Annette (Quantico Marines).
135 Pounds—Pete Cilinski (St. Mary's Club) vs. Ray Hanbury (Merrick Club).
147 Pounds—Joe Gannon (Apollo Club) vs. Frank McGregor (St. Mary's Club).
160 Pounds—Lewis Pavone (St. Mary's Club) vs. Nick Mancini (Washington Boys Club).
175 Pounds—Dick Nutt (St. Mary's Club) vs. Tom Poole (Washington Boys Club).
Heavyweights—Bernie Cody (unattached) vs. Reno Workman (St. Mary's Club).

New Horse Track Operates for Navy At Brazilian Base

There's a new horse track operating under American direction, but only men of the Navy are likely to line its rails, the Associated Press reported yesterday.

It is "Peachtree Downs" a half-mile oval at "Atlanta of Brazil," a recreation center for servicemen established near Recife, Brazil.

In addition to the race track where men back from antisubmarine patrols vie in informal races, "Atlanta of Brazil" named in honor of the home town of its commanding officer, Capt. Walter G. Roper, has baseball fields, tennis courts, riding trails, open air theater, library, billiard and pool rooms.

FBI and ERCO Win

Engineer and Research defeated Conklyn's Florist, 40-30, and FBI won, 52-47, over United Typewriters in Heurich League games last night in the Heurich gym.

Post's Consensus

AT TROPICAL PARK

1—Whippet, Big Raid, Guy Hottel.
2—Good Fun, Moonlite Bobby, Liberty Flight.
3—Spare Room, Anthem, Vinal Haven.
4—Gallant Witch, Blue Pom, Roman Glory.
5—Mintnickers, Valdina Malden, Psychic Rate.
6—PUTITTHERE, Billy Rolfe, Sparkling Maid.
7—Tower Maid, Flying Silver, Company Rest.
8—Grand Day, Panthorn, Jay Stevens.

Bears Easily Beat Brooklyn Pros, 44 to 25

The Lichtman Bears, with Johnny Isaacs leading the way, defeated the Brooklyn Indians of the American League yesterday at Turner's Arena, 44-25, before a crowd of 800.

The Bears took an early lead in the first of three periods, 21-14, Isaacs accounting for three baskets, with Bob Fitzgerald, Seton Hall star, and Ossie Schectman, former Long Island University ace, showing the way for the opposition.

In the second period, Isaacs turned on the heat for four additional baskets, while Fitzgerald, with 5 points to his credit, was the lone Indian scorer. Dolly King, meanwhile, was engaged in holding safe the 6-foot Herman Knupple, Panzer College threat.

"Rocky" Volvano accounted for all of the Indians' points in the final period, while the Bears, with Jackie Bethards leading, put on a lightning passing show. In a preliminary the Junior Bears defeated Hopkins House, 60-23. The Bears will meet the Detroit Eagles next week.

Bears.	G	FG	P	Indians.	G	FG	P
Gates,f.....	1	1	3	Schectman,f..	2	0	4
Cooper,f.....	2	0	4	Fitzgerald,f..	4	1	9
King,c.....	1	3	5	Knupple,c....	0	1	1
Isaacs,g.....	8	0	16	Sharnus,g....	1	0	2
Bethards,g...	0	0	0	Volvano,g....	2	1	5
Clayton,g....	5	2	12	Harvey,g.....	0	0	0
Isles,g.....	2	0	4	Shuckman,g...	2	0	4
Wright,g.....	0	0	0	K'sbrunner,g.	0	0	0
Totals....	19	6	44	Totals.....	11	3	25

Officials—Troupe and Cohen.

St. Alban's Sets Basket Slate

St. Albans will open its 15-game basketball schedule Friday afternoon at home, entertaining Maryland Park High School in the belated opener for Coach Al Wagner's Metropolitan Tournament semifinalists of last year.

Cotton Smith, one of the city's leading scorers last season, and Munro Magruder are the only holdover lettermen from the 1942-43 club, which won 11 games and lost 4.

St. Albans' biggest losses are John Trimble and Earl Elliott. Coach Wagner's starting team probably will include Cotton Smith and Brother Bob at forwards, Marshall Diggs, center, and Magruder and Derick Daniels at guard.

January 7, Maryland Park, home; 11, Devitt, home; 13, Western, away; 18, Wilson, away; 21, Baltimore Friends, home; 26, Landon, away; 29, St. Andrew's, home.

February 1, Friends, home; 4, Georgetown Prep, away; 8, St. Paul's, away; 10, Episcopal, away; 11, Baltimore Boys' Latin, home; 15, Coolidge, home; 19, St. James, home; 22, Gonzaga, home.

Eddie Sawyer to Pilot Utica Braves in 1944

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 2 (INS).—Mrs. Frances McConnell, president of the Utica Braves of the Eastern Baseball League, announced tonight that the Phillies have signed Eddie Sawyer, manager of the Binghamton Triplets for the past two years, to pilot the Braves during the 1944 season.

Hornets Win Again

The Green Hornet A. C. football team won its fifth straight victory yesterday, defeating the Fort Dupont eleven, 32-0, at Fairlawn. Tom Ketcham and Bill Murphy scored all five touchdowns.

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Frankie Wills Meets Bennett Here Tonight

Fistic fireworks will flare again tonight at Turner's Arena when Frankie Wills, the District welterweight champion, meets Charlie Bennett, the Washington Negro "Spoiler," in a 10-round feature tussle.

BENNETT

Bennett's whole boxing future may rest squarely on the outcome of this bout. Moving from a $50 preliminary fighter to a headliner within the space of three months, the local Government worker has a chance to establish an enviable reputation by winning from Wills.

Wills continues a 7-5 favorite, odds which at ring time may be considered generous when it is recalled that Eddie Kane was twice the choice over Frankie and went down to thumping defeats both times; that Nick Latsios, the Golden Greek, was a good 2-1 only to bow to the one-time Baltimorean.

Both Wills and Bennett are in the proverbial fighting groove, fresh from a string of impressive victories.

By going 10 rounds with Bob Montgomery last summer at the ball park, the D. C. titleholder proved he could give as well as take it. Conqueror of Bummy Davis, Cat Robinson, Joe Doty, just to mention a few, Wills is rated the sixth best welter by "Ring."

But Bennett, though he has stepped into fistic prominence in rather meteoric fashion, has proven a rather tough cookie in his last three jousts. He snapped Kone's streak of 16 and arrested Latsios' 13-match winning drive.

Wills has had his hot and cold spells, but his recent victories have indicated that Frankie may be "arriving" at a new turn in his career.

Walter Hafer, former Columbus, Ohio, heavyweight, will fight Billy Duncan, the Fort Belvoir soldier, in a six-rounder. Duncan replaces Mose Thomas. George Williams will oppose Gene Brown and Tommy Mollis will tackle Bobby Brown. A four-rounder will open the show at 8:45 o'clock.

Camp Grant, Iowa Remain Undefeated

By Jack Hand

New York, Jan. 2 (AP).—There's more than a suspicion going the basketball rounds that De Paul's unnbeaten Demons who boosted their win streak to 11 by three Eastern trip triumphs, are one of the teams to bet for national honors in 1944.

Although the going is just beginning to get hot and the toughest part of every schedule is still future business, De Paul made a lasting impression in the East by crushing Arkansas, 59-30, after topping St. Joseph and Long Island.

While De Paul was boosting its streak, Camp Grant, Iowa Seahawks and Gonzaga were moving along at a fast clip with long win records to match some of the idle clubs but Oklahoma's Aggies, Arkansas, Great Lakes, Norfolk Naval Training Station, St. John's, NYU and Pennsylvania were removed from the ranks of the unbeaten. Perfect-record Iowa was idle.

Sailors Lose Two

The Sailors from Great Lakes ran into trouble after winning 7, bowed to Illinois and Northwestern before bouncing back to whip Ohio State. The Buckeyes were the boys who stopped Coach Bodie's Norfolk Tars in midweek after the Sailors had won 11 in a row but bowed to the same club the next night.

Oklahoma's Aggies were slowed down in losing to the Norman (Okla.) Naval Air Station in the Oklahoma City Tournament that was won by Oklahoma University. Arkansas came up from the Southwest without a loss, nosed out City College but bowed in turn to Albright and De Paul.

St. John's bumped into too much trouble in Kentucky for their first loss and NYU found Colgate's Red Raiders too tough and bowed, 48-41, to leave the New York district without a major unbeaten team. At the present rate, there won't be a perfect record five in the Nation in another week or 10 days.

Dartmouth in Bid

Dartmouth put in a very strong claim for a seventh Eastern League crown by squeezing past Penn in a thriller, 54-48, the first setback for the Quakers. Cornell moved into a tie for second by shading Princeton, 41-39, on a field goal in the last 30 seconds by Bob Gale, who leads the league scorers with 55 points in four games.

Havana's intersectional tour ended with the Cubans losing to Temple and Canisius, two of the Nation's fastest-stepping fives, for a U. S. A. record of one win and two losses.

Tomorrow night finds the Big Ten opening with Illinois at Wisconsin and there are eight more games scheduled for Friday and Saturday. The Big Six season gets started tomorrow, the Pacific Coast loop moves into action Friday and there will be three tilts in the Eastern circuit. Two Madison Square Garden double-headers and one each in Philadelphia and Chicago.

Bisons Player Hits Official, Suspended

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 2 (AP).—Bob Dill, defense man on the Buffalo Bisons of the American Hockey League, has been suspended indefinitely for striking Referee Gordon Parsons during a game last night in Pittsburgh, Bison General Manager Eddie Shore said today.

Shore said he had been notified of the suspension by League President Maurice Podoloff who reported the case would be considered at a league meeting Friday in Cleveland.

Parsons required medical attention after the blow which came when he penalized Dill on a play.

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Port Huron Bids for GOP Convention

By the Associated Press

Take your hats off to Port Huron, Mich.—a friendly and ambitious locality that apparently doesn't give a hoot about crowds.

For that city of 32,759 (1940 census) at the lower end of Lake Huron is competing with Chicago, population 3,396,808 (same census) and other Midwest points for the Republican national convention. In fact, it's the only city to make a formal bid so far.

It doesn't say whether it would raise the $100,000 or so that cities usually put up for the political conventions, but Frank J. O'Hara, secetary-manager of the Port Huron Convention Bureau, wrote Chairman Harrison E. Spangler of the Republican National Committee:

"I have just returned from Chicago and have found that the hotel situation there is terrible and I am duobtful if your convention will find any space whatsoever and with this thought in mind we are extending to you a very cordial invitation to hold your convention here in Port Huron.

"We have plenty of open spaces, two or three large school auditoriums and people who are known throughout the Nation for their hospitality who will, I am sure, open their doors and extend a very warm welcome to your guests.

"We have a splendid hotel, too, owned and operated by the only remaining New Deal Democrat in this part of the State. We are on the border of Canada, too, which may be of interest to the Republican delegates. . . ."

In reply, Spangler noted that the convention would require "an auditorium which will seat at least 20,000 people and hotel facilities for a like number." He asked for the size of Port Huron's facilities and promised to "submit them to the committee which will decide the matter."

Most Army Hurts In U. S. Are Laid To Carelessness

The War Department disclosed yesterday that a study of 1141 injuries suffered by soldiers during recent maneuvers in this country showed that most of the injuries were due to carelessness.

Of the total injuries studied, 23 per cent were sustained by soldiers on pass, or although on maneuvers, in such a way that the injuries were not considered incidental to their military duties.

Relatively green men sustained 866 accidents, or approximately 75 per cent of the total.

"The record showed the hours of darkness brought 450 injuries. Use of weapons, including gunshot wounds and other mishaps, caused 67.

"Injuries through accidents with Government vehicles numbered 490. Main causes for accidents, such as collisions and cars overturning, were blackouts, excessive speed and drivers falling asleep at the wheel or being blinded by lights of approaching cars."

Cincinnati Has New City Manager

Cincinnati, Jan. 2 (AP)—Wilbur R. Kellogg, 59-year-old railroader, became Cincinnati's fourth city manager in 17 years yesterday.

Kellogg, manager of the Cincinnati Union Terminal since 1934, was inducted formally today, but was given a leave of absence until January 15 to wind up his affairs with the terminal because of sudden complication of activities there as a result of Government seizure of the railroads.

Kellogg, a native of Indianapolis, will be 60 January 9. He came here with the Big Four Railroad in 1911 and was associated with it and the parent New York Central until assuming managership of the terminal in 1934.

He succeeds C. O. Sherrill, a retired Army engineer who helped design fortifications for the Panama Canal and Corregidor Island, P. I.

Heads Maryland Club

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 2.—J. Walter Byer was reelected president of the Western Maryland Motor Club yesterday. Other officers are George Erling, vice president; C. Russell Cook, secretary; Kinsey A. Wolfe, treasurer, and William S. Jenkins, counsel.

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The list of ships includes aircraft carriers, cruisers, destroyers, virtually every type of fighting craft, as well as a large number of Liberty ships and other cargo vessels. In addition, Bethlehem ship repair yards converted, repaired, and serviced over 7,000 vessels, a vital contribution toward keeping the Allied fleets in fighting trim.

Measuring the program by Liberty Ships a Battleship is equal to forty Liberty Ships; and the value of the year's work in Bethlehem's shipbuilding division was the equivalent of over 1,000 Liberty ships.

Part of National Program—Bethlehem is permitted to publish these facts as part of our country's total program. Led by the U. S. Navy and the U. S. Maritime Commission, America's shipbuilding in 1943 has been a national triumph of production.

We salute our fellow shipbuilders and their distinguished records.

We thank our thousands of suppliers whose efforts have been essential to our contribution.

We congratulate the men and women in the Bethlehem organization, in shipyards, steel plants, factories, mines, and in every division, all of whom have had a part in this effort.

Harder Task Ahead—The year's work in Bethlehem's shipyards, steel mills and other departments has been done by 300,000 men and women. More will be needed. Already a larger shipbuilding task has been assigned to us for 1944. We shall undertake that job with the knowledge that it must be done, at maximum pace, to hasten the day of Victory.

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25,000-Ton Ore-and-Oil Carriers

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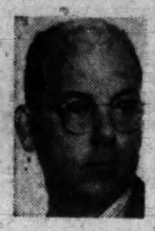
The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

Congress Talks About Once-a-Month Paydays

Once-a-month paydays for Federal workers are now being considered by the House Appropriations Committee. Representative Case of South Dakota, is one of the members who believes that fewer paydays would cut out paperwork and red tape and result in substantial economies. The once-a-month plan also has been under study by the Budget Bureau. However, Budget promises that it won't recommend any change unless it can be guaranteed that credit unions or some other organizations will be able to advance money to needy employes to keep them out of the clutches of the loan sharks. Fewer paydays would take the heat off Treasury's Disbursement Bureau as it has been able to hire barely enough employes to get out paychecks on time and checks will be delayed unless it can get more workers.



An enthusiastic Negro boy recently went to the Federal Bureau of Investigation to apply for a job with the "black market." Because of his color, the boy said, the FBI should be able to use him in an advisory capacity . . . Sedition indictments can be expected to be returned any day now by the District Grand Jury . . . The Senate Subcommittee on Wartime Health and Education will listen to the plight of Federal employes among the 15 million white collar and professional workers on fixed salaries whose health and security are imperiled by the increased cost of living. Postal groups already have arranged to testify and the American Federation of Government Employes has offered to assist the committee in gathering cost of living data.

New regulations covering annual and sick leave will be announced shortly by President Roosevelt. They are still being discussed by the Council of Personnel Administration, but in general they'll provide (1) that all leave be charged in hours rather than by minutes and days; (2) that there be a free transfer of leave for all employes who are being switched from one job to another. Leave can't be transferred with employes who are transferred from a temporary to a permanent job and vice versa; (3) that sick leave be charged without a doctor's certificate to employes who are out ill more than three days; (4) that employes be credited with two days of annual leave each month and one day every six months to simplify bookkeeping, and (5) that annual leave not be granted on top of leave to employes who resign.

This plan, worked out in the Budget Bureau, should greatly simplify the big job of keeping leave records. Under the plan, it wouldn't be possible to charge an employe 15 minutes leave for being a few minutes late as is the custom in several agencies. Either the employes would have to be charged an hour or else the supervisors could excuse them and they'll get the authority to do both in the new regulations. A recent decision by the Comptroller General leaves the way open to discard the ancient practice of producing a doctor's certificate to get sick leave of more than three days. The Comptroller said it wasn't necessary when a doctor isn't available and employes here report they find doctors unavailable quite frequently. When an employe quits, under the proposed regulations, he would be paid for his accumulated leave only and he would cease to earn additional leave on his accumulated leave as he does now.

Several officials in Food Distribution are expected to follow Roy Hendrickson to UNRRA . . . Interior's Reclamation Service has mapped out a postwar program which would make the arid Western States a land of opportunity. Western Senators will demand a three-billion-dollar appropriation to start the program at the proper time . . . Abe Fortas has told Interior Secretary Ickes that he'll go back to his old job as Undersecretary. However, Fortas resigned when he was inducted in the Navy, and now the President must nominate him for the job and the Senate must approve him before he can resume his old post.

Government girls who were chosen as models for the Government Girl Club fashion show must report tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the conference room on the fifth floor of The Post Building. The show will be held January 25 in the New Interior Auditorium . . . W. Carl Wyatt has been retired from Public Roads Administration. He'll follow his hobby of collecting watches. He has more than 300 rare timepieces . . . Benjamin F. Sanders, a sailor on duty in Navy's clothing division, has saved Uncle Sam two million dollars annually and enlisted men five million dollars a year through his suggestion that jumpers be shortened from 4 to 6 inches to eliminate the blouse effect.

Signal Corps Dance

Post Staff Photo

SIGN OF VICTORY—Civilian employes of the Army Signal Corps held a New Year's ball at the Statler Hotel and all here show their hope for victory in 1944 by giving the V-sign. They are (left to right) Anne Ferick, Pharmacist's Mate Second Class Eddie Scott, USN; Margaret Heath, Helen Ragsdell, Fire Control Second Class Robert Ploughe, USN; Betty Ragsdell, Corpl. Harry Elliott, Ruth M. Allison and Pvt. Rocco Bonomo

Alexandria Church to Get New Rector

By Robert Tate Allan

The Rev. Howard Johnson, assistant pastor of St. John's "Church of the Presidents," Lafayette Square, and the Rec. Herbert Donovan, rector of Christ Church, Charlottesville, Va., are among six clergymen being considered as new rector of Christ (Episcopal) Church, Alexandria, it was learned last night.

REV. JOHNSON

The other four men whose names have been suggested to the pulpit committee are the Rev. George A. Robertshaw, rector of St. George's Church, Rumson, N. J.; the Rev. J. M. Thomas, rector of Trinity Church, Williamsport, Pa.; the Rev. T. Morrison, rector of All Saints' Church, Atlanta, Ga., and Army Chaplain T. Stewart Matthews, former assistant rector of Christ Church, Alexandria.

The Rev. Edward Randolph Welles has resigned the Christ Church rectorship, effective January 25, to become dean of the Episcopal Cathedral at Buffalo, N. Y.

DR. WELLES

A shrine hallowed by George Washington and Gen. Robert E. Lee, Christ Church was formally delivered to the vestry February 27, 1773. Of the first 10 pews sold, Washington bought Pew No. 5 for £36/10s. He was a vestryman. Lee was confirmed there and attended services.

The following procedure will be used in selecting Mr. Welles' successor:

A number of names of possible candidates, including three submitted by the Right Rev. Henry St. George Tucker, Episcopal presiding bishop and Bishop of Virginia, will be presented to the Christ Church vestry by the pulpit committee, the vestry making the final decision.

Dr. H. A. Latane, dean of Alexandria's physicians in point of service, is senior warden. The pulpit committee includes Norman Davis, head of the American Red Cross; Gardner L. Boothe and Albert V. Bryan, the latter Alexandria's Commonwealth attorney.

Candidates Described

Regarding the qualifications of the six known potential candidates for the rectorship:

The Rev. Mr. Donovan is chairman of the Virginia Diocesan promotional department, and is active in Charlottesville's civic and religious life. He is 44.

Dr. Robertshaw, also in his early forties, is formerly dean of the Cathedral of the Incarnation at Garden City, Long Island, N. Y.

The Rev. Mr. Thomas is one of Williamsport's most active community figures, having led the movement to have all churches unite in Holy Week services there. He is active in the Red Cross, the Boy Scouts and other organizations. He is 41.

Johnson Served Princeton

Although only 30, the Rev. Mr. Johnson is already making a name for himself in Washington's religious life as a preacher and scholar. He was formerly assistant student chaplain at Princeton University.

The Rev. Mr. Morrison, who is in his late 30's has been especially prominent in young people's activities in Atlanta.

It is understood that there is little likelihood of Chaplain Mathews being elected rector, because of his chaplaincy duty.

Two West Virginia Aviators Promoted

Martinsburg, W. Va., Jan. 2.—First Lieut. Marvin H. Porterfield, jr., and First Lieut. Archie H. Simpson, formerly of Shepherdstown W. Va., both Marine fliers, have been promoted to captain, according to word reaching here.

Captain Porterfield is in the South Pacific area. Captain Simpson recently returned from the South Pacific, and is stationed at Cherry Point, N. C. He has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Postlude

Ethel Bartlett, Rae Robertson Provide Engrossing Piano Duet

By Ray C. B. Brown

Dorothy Hodgkin Dorsey presents Ethel Bartlett and Rae Robertson in a duo-piano recital Sunday afternoon in Constitution Hall. Program of compositions by Bach, Weber, Mendelssohn, Schumann, Chopin, Lecuona, Milhaud, Johann Strauss, Granados, Falla and Liszt.

Phillips Memorial Gallery presents a chamber music concert by Alfio Micci, David Soyer Francis Tursi and Earl Wild of the U. S. Navy Band Orchestra on Sunday afternoon. Program: String Trio in E flat major, Op. 3 (Beethoven) Piano Trio in C minor, Op. 101 (Brahms), Serenade for String Trio, Op. 10 (Dohnanyi).

National Gallery of Art presents The National Trio (Millard Taylor, violin; Howard Mitchell, violoncello; Christine Charnstrom, piano) on Sunday night. Program: Suite (Purcell), Trio (Bridge), Trio in A minor, Op. 22 (Warner).

Representing in music that marriage of true minds of which Shakespeare spoke, Ethel Bartlett and Rae Robertson played an engrossing recital of music for two pianos yesterday afternoon in Constitution Hall. Their program held little to interest the connoisseur of rarities, for eight of the twelve pieces were transcriptions of familiar things, but it was their remarkable consentience in every mood and each shade of coloring that held one's attention fast. Their technical ease was naturally a part of the charm, yet one forgot that in enjoyment of the unified interpretations.

Inasmuch as Pierre Luboschutz and Genia Nemenov played Schumann's Andante and Variations and Chopin Rondo in C on the same stage recently, one regrets that the British pair followed suit, even though they did the Schumann piece in the finest romantic vein. One would have preferred to hear something from England, say two of the four tone-poems by Arnold Bax or their own arrangement of Hugo Anson's "Lonely Sailing Ship."

Two novelties programmed were Aaron Copland's "Danzon Cubano," which sounded to me like Ernesto Lecuona, and Darius Milhaud's "Scaramouche" suite. The latter which has not been heard here since Gertrude Austin and Marthe Poncy of the King-Smith School introduced it nearly 4 years ago, was very welcome. It is in the poetic style that Milhaud commands when he wishes, imaginative, quick-witted and picturesque.

Of the transcriptions I liked best Mary Howe's sympathetic treatment of Bach's "Sheep May Safely Graze," which has a befitting reverential atmosphere. The list included Mednokov's arrangement of Bach's "Little" Fugue in G minor, Isidor Philipp's deft version of the scherzo from Mendelssohn's "Midsummer Night's Dream," and the performers' own transcription of Granados "La Maja y el Ruisenor." Stephen Kovacs was responsible for the versions of Weber's "Perpetual Motion," the waltzes from "Die Fledermaus," a jota by Falla and Liszt's second Hungarian Rhapsody.

Martin Wiegand Elected Official Of Kiwanians

Martin T. Wiegand, of 3056 Ellicott st. nw., a local lumber dealer, was elected a lieutenant governor of the Capital District of Kiwanis International and W. Melville Brown of Richmond, Va., was chosen head of the area which includes the District, Virginia and Maryland, it was announced yesterday at the Chicago convention of the organization.

Brown succeeded W. Carey Wheatley of Leesburg, Va., as governor of the district. Lieutenant governors who will serve during 1944 include Claude B. Hellman, Baltimore; Clisby M. Jennelle, Salisbury, Md.; Wayde Marshall Geohegan, Victory, Va.; Ernest P. Mangum, Norfolk; Frank B. Haynes, Charlottesville, and Frank B. Walters, Roanoke, who is secretary-treasurer of the Capital District.

Negro Council Asks Abolition Of Jim Crow Laws

Celebrating the 79th anniversary of emancipation, the National Negro Council yesterday at Shiloh Church, passed resolutions calling on President Roosevelt to issue an order abolishing Jim Crow accommodations on all railroads now operated by the Government.

The Government was called upon also to give equal opportunities for employment regardless of race or national origin.

Representative Harold Knutson (Republican) of Minnesota, the principal speaker, urged guarding the essential liberty of freedom of the press, and the granting of equal economic opportunities to all Americans.

Msgr. Sheen Urges Unity Of Religions

The Right Rev. Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen, Catholic theologian, yesterday called for "unity of men of goodwill" to combat "forces that would destroy religion and moral law in favor of power and expediency."

MSGR. SHEEN

Monsignor Sheen, Catholic University professor, spoke on "Call to Unity," opening a series of 16 addresses on "One Lord: One World," on the Catholic Hour over NBC. The National Council of Catholic Men is sponsoring the talks.

"The common enemy has three characteristics," Monsignor Sheen said. It is atheistic; it is alien to our civilization; it is a repudiation of the Chrstian tradition. Twenty-five years ago atheism was an individual phenomenon; today atheism is social. The atheist who was once a curiosity, is now a component part of some governments of the world.

"A few decades ago Christianity's struggles were more in the nature of a civil war; that is, religious rivalries and contentions existed between sects within the great body of Christendom itself. For example, between Methodists and Presbyterians, Lutherans and Anglicans, and in a broader way between Jews, Protestants and Catholics.

"Today that simple condition no longer prevails. Christianity is no longer engaged exclusively in a civil war. It is face to face with an invasion, an incursion of totally alien forces who are opposed to all religion and morality, whether it be Jewish or Christian.

New Quarrel Under Way

"Once men quarreled because they wanted God worshiped in a certain way; now they quarrel because they do not want God worshiped at all. They wars of religion of the seventeenth century have become the wars against religion of the twentieth century."

Monsignor Sheen contended that "this universal organized attack upon the moral foundations of society creates a problem."

"What are men of goodwill going to do about it?" he queried. "They must unite. There must be a common front against a common affront. Men or goodwill: unite! Unite because the new enemy is, as the Holy Father calls it, a 'common danger.'

"It is common to Jews, Protestants and Catholics. It makes no distinction amoung them. It does not even make a distinction between a Mussulman and a Christian when the former asserts the power of God is above the power of the state. We are all in the same boat because all men of goodwill are afloat on the sea of moral law."

Armenian Service

The Rev. Charles Y. Aznakian, pastor of the Aremnian Presbyterian Church, yesterday told his congregation, meeting in Pierce Hall, 15th and Harvard sts. nw.:

"In some areas of life the war is broadening our attitudes and sentiments toward life, while in other areas it is narrowing the same.

"On the one hand it has taught us the exorbitant folly of isolationism, and opened us up to cooperation with other democratic and intrinsically peace-loving nations for the establishment of a decent world order; on the other hand it has released within us savage passions of hate and bigotry, which, if allowed to survive the war, may betray the Christian and democratic ideals for which the United Nations are pursuing the war."

Lloyd Garrison To Assume New WLB Position

Lloyd K. Garrisoon, who has held the combined job of executive director and general counsel for the National War Labor Board for the past year, will become the first alternate public member of the WLB today. The office was created by an executive order two months ago.

Garrison's post as general counsel will be taken over by Jesse Freidin, associate general counsel who at one time was law secretary to Charles Poletti, former lieutenant governor of New York.

The other office, executive director, will be held by Theodore W. Kheel, chairman of the second regional WLB, with offices in New York City. He formerly was assistant executive secretary of the WLB.

To fill the vacancy created by resignation of Carl Schedler to enter private industry, Frederick Bullin, former disputes director for the fifth regional board at Cleveland, was appointed deputy executive director under Kheel.

City News in Brief

War Prisoners Sought

Police last night were on the lookout for three Italian prisoners of war who escaped from Camp Georgia December 29, after receiving a warning from the War Department that the trio may pass through Washington.

The missing prisoners are Ernest Rossito, 27, 5 feet, 6 inches tall, 154 pounds, brown eyes and hair, dark complexion; Ferriccio Umelic, 22, 5 feet 11 inches, 159 pounds, brown eyes and hair, ruddy complexion, and Omedo Renzini, 26, 5 feet 9 inches, 166, pounds, blue eyes, brown hair, ruddy complexion.

All were wearing blue denim overalls with the letters "P. W." stenciled on them.

Ban May Be Eased

Board of Education bans on fraternities and sororities outside of the supervision of school faculty members may be relaxed after consideration at a special meeting of the board's Committee on Rules tomorrow at 1:30 p. m., it was indicated yesterday.

The committee will draft a recommendation for presentation at the board meeting on Wednesday. The fraternity rule under discussion has been in effect since 1923 and recently was questioned when Paul Steiner, Roosevelt high school senior, was removed from captaincy of the cadet company and presidency of the Student Council because he belonged to an unauthorized fraternity.

Shout Routs Intruder

Wesley Obier, 452 10th st. sw., awakened by a noise in his bedroom shortly after Saturday midnight, saw a Negro man standing over him, he reported to police. Obier yelled and the intruder fled. A total of $48 had been stolen from billfolds belonging to Obier and two other men sleeping in the house.

Liquor Permit Suspended

The 400 Restaurant and Lounge, 1423 F st. nw., will serve only luncheons and dinners for a week beginning today, following suspension of the club's liquor license for seven days by the District ABC Board two weeks ago.

The suspension came after a hearing in which charges of sale of liquor to a minor and careless management were made. It was said that liquor sales represent 40 per cent of the restaurant's revenues.

Fall Victim Dies

Emma R. Bradeen, 86, of 233 B st. ne., died at 2:05 p. m. yesterday at Casualty Hospital where she was admitted last September 11 after suffering a hip fracture in a fall in the 300 block of Maryland ave. ne.

Freak Accident

Mrs. Phillip B. Skillman, 35, of 1904 S. Hayes st., Arlington, Va., was admitted to Garfield Hospital yesterday with a broken leg suffered in a freak mishap on a streetcar loading platform at Georgia ave. and Webster st. nw.

Police reported that Mrs. Skillman was knocked down when her brother-in-law, Lieut. Col. Harold R. Skillman, stationed at Camp Meade, pivoted against her after being brushed by a streetcar door which was being opened at the platform.

Walker Visits USO Club

Postmaster General Frank C. Walker, in an impromptu visit at the Servicewomen's USO Club at 1911 H st. nw., yesterday, found the club's "good neighbor policy" to his liking.

As club officials escorted him about the women's service center, he commended their "wonderful work," with side compliments to the "home-like atmosphere." But it was meeting the British WRENS and ATS, who share the center with American servicewomen, that delighted him most.

Mrs. Walker poured tea.

Screams Rout Attackers

Mrs. Pearl Shannon, 26, of 302 Maryland ave. ne., and William G. Beauchamp, 28, of 1133 12th st. nw., reported to police yesterday that they were pounced upon by five armed Negroes in the 700 block of N st. nw., Saturday night. The gang fled when Mrs. Shannon screamed, according to the report.

A 41-year-old Negro, later arrested in a 9th st. cafe with a pistol in his possession, was being held as a suspect in the case.

Britain Honors Connolly

Rear Admiral Richard L. Connolly, Waukegan, Ill., and Washington, is one of four naval officers who have been named Knights of the Bath by King George VI in recognition for his outstanding service in the Sicilian campaign, it was learned yesterday.

Electronic Advances

A picture showing recent developments in electronics will be shown at a meeting of the Electrical Contractors Association tomorrow at 8 p. m. in Pythian Temple, 1012 9th st. nw.

Injured While Skating

John H. Leaman, 15, of 3014 Douglas st. ne., was admitted to Casualty Hospital yesterday, suffering from head injuries suffered when he fell while ice skating on a pond near New York ave. and Bladensburg rd. He was taken to the hospital by his father, John E. Leaman.

Five Soldiers Arrested

Five soldiers were arrested on charges of disorderly conduct and resisting arrest early yesterday, following a scuffle at Windom Terrace and Wisconsin ave. nw., in which Police Lieut. Cyrus Perry and Sergt. J. B. Monror suffered bruises.

After being booked at No. 8 Precinct, the five first approached for boisterous merrymaking, were turned over to military police.

Old Films to Be Shown

Cooperating with the Department of Agriculture, the Film Society will give a series of American and foreign film showings, starting January 9 with Rudolph Valentino in "Monsieur Beaucaire;" followed by "Chapayev," the Marx Brothers in "Duck Soup" and Rene Clear's celebrated, "A Nous la Liberte," on January 16, 23 and 30, respectively.

The showing will be at 8 p. m. in the Auditorium of the South Agricultural Building, 14th st. and Independence ave. nw.

Newcomers Join Churches At Special Services Here

Scores of newcomers to Washington were among the new members greeted at religious services yesterday, as 200 Protestant churches observed the second annual "Join the Church Sunday," sponsored by the Federation of Churches' evangelism committee.

Many of the worshipers joined through transfers of membership from churches back home, while others affiliated on profession of faith.

Typical of the "Join the Church Sunday" observances was the service at Francis Asbury Methodist Church, 3146 16 st., of which Dr. Robin Gould is pastor. He is chairman of the Federation's evangelism committee.

One of the persons welcomed there was from Dr. Gould's home State of Missouri. She was Mrs. Elizabeth Sears, of Salisbury, near Hannibal, where Dr. Gould once occupied the pulpit.

Mrs. Sears, whose husband died last January, came here a short time ago to take a position with the Navy Bureau of Aeronautics. Her son, Howard, 25, was with the Navy Bureau of Medicine and Surgery until his enlistment in the Navy. He is now a pharmacist's mate, first class, and is stationed at Camp Endicott, Rhode Island. Sears is among the 166 servicemen and servicewomen represented on the service banner of Francis Asbury Church.

Others who joined Francis Asbury Church yesterday and the congregations from which they transferred, were:

Mrs. Viola Buckner, from the Vinton (Va.) Baptist Church; Miss Edith Higgins, from Foundry Methodist Church here; Miss Lora Rae Brown, from First Methodist Church, Sedan, Kans.; Miss Miriam Bralley, from Aldersgate Methodist Church, Pulaski, Va.; Miss Marguerite Barnett, from Marvin Methodist Church, Tyler, Tex., and D. D. Isbell, a Washingtonian, who joined on profession of faith.

Mrs. Buckner works in the Treasury Department; Miss Higgins is assistant manager of the Falls Church Motor Co.; Miss Bralley is an employe of the FBI, and Miss Brown is a civilian employe in the Army Air Forces offices in the Pentagon.

Forestville Home Damaged by Fire

Fire of undetermined origin yesterday caused damage of approximately $500 to the home of John E. Robey on Ritchie rd., Forestville, Md. Volunteer fire departments from Forestville, District Heights, Capitol Heights and Boulevard Heights responded to the alarm.

The fire started in the cellar and spread to the first-floor flooring. Robey was away visiting relatives, but a neighbor saw smoke and turned in the alarm.

Churchmen Discuss War Plans Here

Application of principles of Christian cooperation in solving national and world issues was discussed at a weekend meeting here of Christian leaders from various parts of the country.

They met at the home of Mrs. Aymar Johnson 2523 Massachusetts ave. nw. She said last night there has been some misunderstanding as to the purpose of the meeting, and issued a statement:

"A number of constructive plans were formulated looking toward Christian cooperation in solving national, class, racial and international antagonisms and for planning realistic action, such as training for citizenship."

Among the leaders present were Dr. E. Stanley Jones, Methodist missionary to India; Dr. Rufus Jones, head of the Friends' committee for feeding starving Europe, and Dr. Samuel Shoemaker, rector of Calvary Episcopal Church, New York City.

Second Front To Drain D.C. Gas Supply

Empty gasoline tanks may face Washington motorists in the very near future as the result of an increase in the tempo of Eastern seaboard shipments to the armed forces preparing for the opening of the giant new offensive against Europe.

Under normal military and civilian demands, Government officials said, the increased supplies in the East are provided readily by pipeline, tank cars, barges and tankers. However, there is a definite limit to the amount of gasoline that can be fed into these types of transportation at the source.

Moreover, there is no way of judging the magnitude of the military demands, once the new front is opened, officials asserted.

The heavy drain on eastern supplies is expected to come in the weeks just preceding the opening of the second front.

Heavy usage of gasoline by civilians has prevented the establishment of adequate reserves in the East, the officials said.

The more gasoline that is required for aviation purposes, the poorer in quality will be that left for civilian use as the materials for the production of high octane gasoline are limited in quantity and aviation gasoline must be high in octanes.

It requires one-third of a gallon of gasoline to deliver one pound of explosive to Hitler's European fortress. Thus, a single raid on Berlin in which 2000 tons of bombs are dropped, would compel the expenditure of one and one-third million gallons of gasoline.

An idea of the extent of this expenditure of fuel may be gathered from District of Columbia gasoline sales figures which show that the entire consumption for the whole city is seven million gallons a month.

Women Shoppers To Hear Talk On D. C. Housing

Housing problems of Washington minority groups will engage the Washington League of Women Shoppers, with Mrs. Pauline Redmond Coggs, executive secretary of the Urban League, as principal speaker, at a meeting tomorrow at 12:30 p. m. in the YWCA, 17th and K st. nw.

District Housing experts who will attend include: Leon Chatelain, Housing Committee Chairman of the District Building Council; Mrs. Albert W. Atwood, D. C. Minimum Wage and Industrial Safety Board, chairman; Helen Duey Hoffman, executive director of Washington Housing Association; Helen Shuford, member of National Housing Authority; Allen Pond, consultant with Federal Public Housing Authority; H. F. Kern, executive secretary of the District Cooperative League and Robert F. Cogswell, rent administrator.

Legion Auxiliary Plans Bond Sale

With the slogan, "Increase Your Stake in the Safety of the Nation," Sergt. Jasper Unit No. 13, American Legion Auxiliary, will lead District auxiliaries by staging a pre-Fourth War Loan Drive sale of bonds and stamps at a meeting tonight in American Legion clubhouse, 2437 15th st. nw.

Determined to set a preloan sales record, the auxiliary will hold another bond selling drive Wednesday, when Legionnaires gather at the clubhouse for their monthly meeting.

Speaker Wednesday will be Austin F. Canfield, member of the District Bar Association.

D. C. Man Participates In Marine Mission

Marine Private Robert P. Fowler, 20, of 627 Powhattan pl. nw., was a member of a patrol of nine Marines which recently accomplished a reconnaissance mission two miles behind Japanese lines in Bougainville.

The men, commanded by First Lieut. George W. Averitte, of Greenville, Miss., ran into heavy sniping and machinegun fire but escaped without casualties. During their absence, their base fought off an enemy attack, killing 75 Japs without a single loss.

Birthday Committee Will Meet Today

The committee for the celebration of the President's birthday will meet at 3:30 p. m. today in the office of Commissioner John Russell Young, general chairman for the District. Plans will be discussed for the 11th annual event January 30.

Half of the proceeds will go to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis and half will be spent to combat disease in the District. Present plans include a command performance at the National Theater January 23, midnight shows at the theater January 28 and hotel dances the night of January 29.

Virginia Flood Survey

Waynesboro, Va., Jan. 2.—A survey of South River flood damage in the Waynesboro area in the last 20 years is being completed by the U. S. Engineer Office, City Manager I. G. Vass says. The report will be submitted to Congress in support of a flood control project embracing the Potomac River watershed.

BARNABY By Crockett Johnson

Joe Snodgrass goes into the Army Friday . . . I may be called any day now—
Army routine will be hard, won't it? On men your age—
My age! Why I'm in fine shape—
All that marching—And you wrenched a thigh running after Barnaby's football—
Nonsense . . . All I need is a bit of limbering up . . . Mightn't be a bad idea to get hold of a set of Indian clubs. I'll call the sporting goods store . .
. . . And chest weights . . . And a punching bag . . . What? A rowing machine? Yes, send one over . . . And parallel bars—
CROCKETT JOHNSON

Candlelight Concerts To Be Held at Gadsby's

Ballroom Where Washington Celebrated His Birthdays to Be Setting for Music Events

The Gadsby's Tavern Candlelight Concert scheduled in Alexandria for January 13 is in the news today with the listing of the first patrons and the announcement that Pfc. Vincent Burns of the United States Marine Corps, piano soloist for the evening, has been promoted to the grade of corporal—proving that musicians can make good as fighters.

Corporal Burns is from Providence, R. I., and has studied in his home town and in New England. When the concert is presented in the historic ballroom of Gadsby's, he will play selections ranging from the classic composers, Beethoven and Chopin, to the modern contemporary prize winner, Dmitri Szostakowicz, who is a product of the new era in Russia.

William Robert Adam of Alexandria, sponsor of the Candlelight Concert series which is being revived after an interval of almost three years, yesterday announced the names of the first Alexandria and Washington residents who have accepted his invitation to the piano recital which will begin the series. The guest list is being limited to 200 due to the size of the ballroom in which Gen. George Washington made his only public appearances for celebrations of his birthday.

Heading the list is Mrs. Carl A. Spaatz of Alexandria, wife of Lieutenant General Spaatz, Allied Air Force commander in the Mediterranean area who has been named to head the air assault on Europe in the second front invasion from the west. The Spaatzes' home in Alexandria it at 206 Duke st.

Others who plan to attend are the Librarian of Congress and Mrs. Archibald MacLeish, owners of the boyhood home of Robert E. Lee at 607 Oronoco st., Alexandria; Associate Supreme Court Justice and Mrs. Hugo L. Black of 619 South Lee st.; Judge and Mrs. Thurman Arnold of 120 South Lee st.

Still others include Brig. Gen. Stuart Godfrey, commander of the Air Borne Engineers at Bolling Field, and Mrs. Godfrey, director of "Music for the Services" in Washington; Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Edward Elliott MacMorland of Alexandria, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Tolley.

Also Mrs. Frank Mason Dillard, Richard Horner Bales, director of music at the National Gallery of Art, and Mrs. Bales who live at Hunting Terrace; Miss Nancy Lee Tacket, Mrs. Zerelda McConnell, Dr. and Mrs. Laurence M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward O. Hulburt, and Judge and Mrs. Harry W. Blair.

Helen Chewning Becomes Bride Of Fitzpatrick

Miss Helen Sheahan Chewning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Broaddus Estes Chewning of Roanoke, Va., became the bride of Ensign Beverly Thomas Fitzpatrick, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abbath Fitzpatrick of Roanoke, on Thursday, December 30, in the chapel at the Naval Operating Base, Norfolk, at 9 o'clock in the evening.

Lieut. Carl Newburg, Navy chaplain, performed the wedding rites.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin with a yolk neckline of Chantilly lace, edged with ruffles, long sleeves which ended in ruffled lace cuffs, and a full, gathered skirt, which fell into a long court train. Her floor-length veil of bridal illusion was held in place by a tricornered cap, covered with orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of white orchids, surrounded by white bridal roses. Her only jewelry was a pearl brooch, gift of the bridegroom.

Miss Drucilla Kirk Dille, maid of honor and only attendant was attired in a Nile green brocaded damask gown. She carried an arm bouquet of pink carnations and roses.

Lieut. (j. g.) A. A. Geusendorf served as best man for the groom. Swordsmen were Lieut. F. A. C. Vosters, Ensigns C. A. Frank, J. A. Smith, E. H. Lehman, R. I. Sachs and T. H. Wallace.

The bride's parents entertained at a reception after the wedding at the Monticello Hotel, Norfolk. Immediately following, the couple left for a short honeymoon, after which they will reside at Little Creek, where Ensign Fitzpatrick is stationed.

The bride is a graduate of National Park College, Forest Glen, Md., and Hollins College.

The groom is a graduate of Washington and Lee University, Lexington.

The bride is a cousin of E. Taylor Chewning of Bethesda, Md. She visited often in Washington.

Jean MacLeod Is Married to Soldier-Student

The marriage of Miss Jean Hamlin MacLeod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reed MacLeod of Washington to Pfc. Francis Grillet Harrison, jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Francis Grillet Harrison of Gladwyne, Pa., took place Tuesday evening at the Metropolitan Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, Dr. Edward Gardner Latch officiating.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of bridal satin trimmed with seed pearls, with a fingertip veil of illusion in three tiers which fell from a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and bouvardia.

Mrs. Donald MacLeod, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor and the bridesmaids were Miss Mary Frances MacLeod, cousin of the bride, of Chicago; Miss Elizabeth Sterling of New York City; Mrs. Ralph Hoen of Baltimore, and Mrs. Edward Garlock of Washington. Their dresses were of white taffeta and their bouquets showers of red roses.

The bridegroom's father was the best man and the ushers were Capt. Donald MacLeod, brother of the bride; Pfc. John Ayer of Syracuse, A/S James Flanagan of Norwich, N. Y., and Pfc. Bernard Hartnett of Moravia, N. Y.

The reception, which followed the ceremony, was held at the Kennedy-Warren. After a short wedding trip the couple will return to Syracuse, N. Y., where the bridegroom is a student in Syracuse University, College of Medicine.

G. H. Yount to Wed Miss Hendricks

Mr. and Mrs. Arne E. Hendricks of Watertown, Minn., announce the engagement of their daughter, MadAnnette Genevieve, to George Hileman Yount of Washington. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Hendricks attended the University of Minnesota and the Minnesota School of Business. Mr. Yount is a graduate of Washington and Jefferson College and Princeton Theological Seminary and is the assistant pastor of the Covenant-First Presbyterian Church of this city.

Miss Johnston Is To Become Bride Of Ensign Rusk

Commander and Mrs. Paul Fisher Johnston of Annapolis announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane Ellen, to Ensign Stephen Lewis Rusk 3d, USNR. Ensign Rusk is the son of Mrs. Wallace A. Fuhrmann of St. Petersburg, Fla., and was graduated from Duke University, a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

Miss Johnston is a senior at Duke, where she is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Will Be Bride

Mrs. Lucile Fletcher Herndon announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Alice Lucile Herndon, to Charles W. Kolb.

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MISS ELISABETH DUNBAR DRAYTON

Purely Personal

New York, Jan. 2.—Senora Lily de Michels, wife of Rodolfo Michels, Ambassador to the United States from Chile, is a guest at the Waldorf-Astoria from Washington, accompanied by her daughter, Senorita Cristina Michels.

Also among recent arrivals at the Waldorf-Astoria from Washington, are: Maj. Chefik Haddad, Military Attache to the Iraq Legation, and Miss Corinne Haddad; Dr. H. J. Van Mook, Minister of Colonies, and Dr. N. S. Blom from the Netherlands Embassy; Mrs. J. H. Hoover and the Misses Jacquelin and Jeane Hoover of the Westchester Apartments, and Miss Florence Whittemore of the Bay State Apartments.

Mrs. Helen Montfort Moodie entertained last evening at a buffet supper in honor of Miss Mary Howard Gillespie.

Ensign David Lawrie, USNR, returned yesterday to his station at Norfolk, Va., after spending several days' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Lawrie of Silver Spring. Ensign Lawrie recently completed training at the Naval Torpedo School in Newport, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen James of Linden, Md., gave an "at home" yesterday from 3 until 6 o'clock for the personnel of Montgomery County Selective Service Board, No. 2, of which Mr. James is chairman.

Guests also included the staff of doctors and others associated with the board. Assisting Mrs. James was Mrs. William Manger of Washington and Miss Alice James, daughter of the hosts.

Lieut. and Mrs. Tobias Levy of Philadelphia are at the Shoreham Hotel for two weeks. Lieutenant Levy has recently returned from an extended tour of sea duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Guggenheim have with them for the holidays, in their apartment at Wardman Park, their granddaughter, Miss Marjorie Mandle, who attends school in Philadelphia.

Walter Johnson And Bride to Live in Detroit

The home of the bride's parents was the scene of a simply arranged wedding at noon New Year's Day when Miss Dorothy C. Shepherd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shepherd, became the bride of Walter K. Johnson of Detroit. Mr. Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson, Three Oaks, Mich. The service was performed in the manner of the Friends.

White faille taffeta and marquisette was worn by the bride, whose flowers were white daisies. A fingertip veil was held by a crown of lilies of the valley. She was attended by her sisters, Miss Mary Ellen Shepherd as maid of honor, wearing a gown of blue faille taffeta, and Mrs. H. P. Thomas, jr., of Philadelphia as bridesmaid, wearing a gown of yellow faille taffeta. Mrs. Shepherd was gowned in blue.

Steve Page of Philadelphia served as Mr. Johnson's best man. Following a reception, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left for a short trip, after which they will make their home in Detroit.

Mrs. Johnson is a graduate of American University and the University of Pittsburgh. Mr. Johnson is a graduate of the University of Michigan.

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Miss Drayton's Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charles deVere Drayton announce the engagement of their daughter, Elisabeth Dunbar Drayton, to Lieut. (j. g.) Howard Warren Rea, USNR. Lieutenant Rea is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Rea of Montclair, N. J. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Drayton is a graduate of Miss Masters' School, Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., and Smith College, class of 1942. She made her debut in Washington in the summer of 1939 and was presented at the Bachelors Cotillion in Baltimore the following fall. Since her graduation, she has been working for the Government.

Lieutenant Rea is a graduate of Dartmouth College, class of 1938. He was a member of Alpha Delta Phi fraternity and of Yale Law School, class of 1941, where he was a member of Corbey Court. Before going into the Navy, he was associated with the law firm of Breed, Abbott & Morgan of New York.

Taylor and Wilson Wed at New Year; Leave for Fla.

An informal ceremony on the first day of the New Year celebrated the marriage of Miss Dorothy Ruth Taylor, daughter of Mr. John William Taylor, Concordia, Kans., and Dr. James William Wilson.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother Mr. Allen Morgan Wilson. She was dressed in a black dressmaker suit with white accessories and wore white orchids.

Matron of honor for the ceremony was Mrs. Herman M. Wilson, who wore a black velvet afternoon dress with white accessories.

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was given for the newlyweds at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Herman M. Wilson. The couple left for a wedding trip in Miami, Fla.

Mrs. Wilson received her law degree at the Columbus University in Washington, D. C. Dr. Wilson attended Randolph-Macon Academy and University of Maryland.

Miss Mollie Lewis' Troth Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Lewis of Washington announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mollie Margery Lewis, to Julian Berch son of Mrs. Laura Berch of Seattle Wash.

Miss Lewis received her bachelor of arts degree from Wilson Teachers College and her master of arts degree from George Washington University.

Mr. Berch was graduated magna cum laude from the University of Washington and held a teaching fellowship at the University. He is at present a chemist at the National Bureau of Standards.

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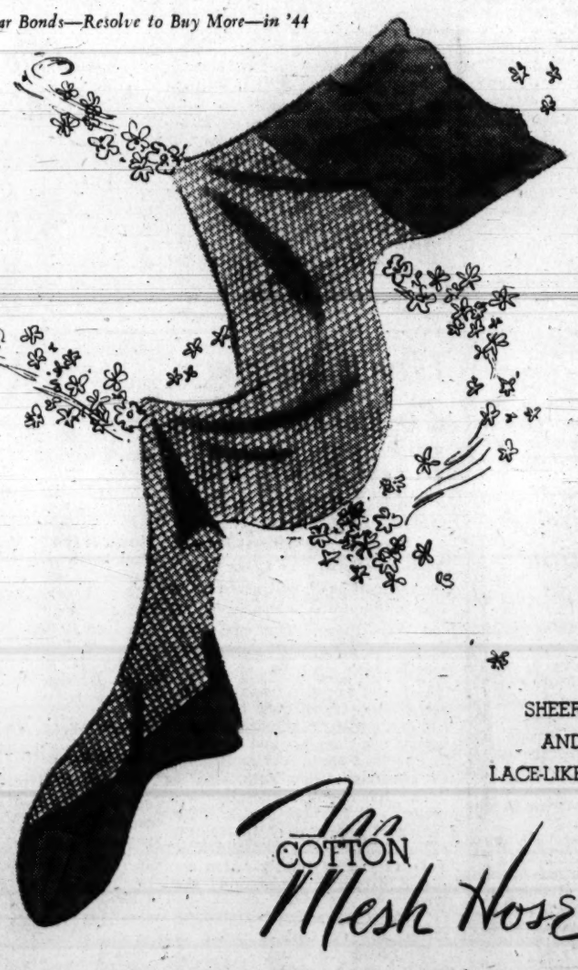

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Margaret Lucille Burch Is Bride of John Malcolm Shick

Several Weddings in Capital Area Take Place During Holiday Season

Miss Margaret Lucille Burch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Earl Burch, yesterday became the bride of John Malcolm Shick, son of Mrs. Forest Emmett Shick and the late Mr. Shick, at a double-ring ceremony at the Brookland Methodist Church. The Rev. Paul Schilling officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gowned in white slipper satin, fashioned with a long train, and her fingertip veil and face veil were held to her hair with a tiara of tulle and orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a platinum and diamond cross, a gift of the bridegroom. She carried an arm bouquet of white roses and orchids with stephanotis.

Mrs. John A. Quigley was the matron of honor and the maid of honor was Miss Mary Leila Bennett. Six-year-old Helen Elizabeth Burch, cousin of the bride, was the flower girl.

James Wilson Shick, brother of the bridegroom, was the best man and the ushers were Charles Harold Polk and Edward Leviathan McCall. Following the ceremony there was an informal reception at the home of the bride's parents.

Earp—Hambleton

Mr. and Mrs. James I. Hambleton of Brookeville, Md., announce the marriage of their daughter, Edwina, to Lieut. Harold E. Earp, jr. The wedding took place in San Antonio, Tex., December 30, where the bridegroom is stationed. He is a member of the United States Air Forces.

The bride was graduated from the University of Maryland in 1942, as was the bridegroom. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Earp of Washington.

Mueller—Gardner

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Charles Gardner announce the marriage of their sister, Jessie Rose Gardner, to Rudolph Silig Mueller, yesterday at the Woodside Methodist Church in Silver Spring, Md.

The couple will be at home after January 20, at 6241 North Fifth st., Philadelphia, Pa.

McGolden—Olson

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gadberry of Waynoka, Okla., announce the marriage of their sister, Letha Olson, to Quentin McGolden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion McGolden of Tulsa, Okla.

The bride wore a white wool, two-piece, afternoon dress, complemented with a white hat and gloves and chocolate-brown leather shoes and bag. Her corsage was of white gardenias and her only jewelry was a gold locket and matching earrings, gift of the groom.

Mrs. Lester Bixler was the maid of honor. Lester Bixler served as best man. The only guest was Bobby Lynn Bixler, nephew of the groom.

Mrs. McGolden, a graduate of Waynoka High School, Waynoka, Okla., attended Draughon's Business University, Oklahoma City, Okla., and was employed by the Veterans' Administration, Washington, for two years before accepting her present position with the Williams-Boyce Agency, Amarillo, Tex.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Daniel Webster High School, Tulsa, Okla., was employed by the Western Electric Co., Tulsa, Okla., and Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. until he entered the United States Army Air Forces in June, 1943. He is now stationed at Canyon, Tex., as aviation student, attending West State Texas Teachers College.

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Mr. and Mrs. John H. Jameson of Concord, N. H., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane, to Lieut. John Mason, USNR, of Boston, son of Mrs. Eugene Reybold of Washington, D. C., and Cumberland, Md.

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Mrs. Frost Visiting In Mexico City For Several Weeks

Mrs. Katharine Frost, well-known pianist, is visiting in Mexico and is at the Hotel Emporio in Mexico City.

Mrs. Frost spent some time in Mexico last summer and made many friends there. She is now spending several days in Acapulco and will return to Mexico City after the holidays for another week or 10 days.

Last Saturday evening, Mrs. Frost was guest of honor at a small dinner party given by Vernon Rogers in Mexico City. Other guests were Gen. and Mrs. Arthur Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Curtice, Kenneth Littlejohn, Mrs. Marjorie Youngreen and Mrs. Roberta Horton, a visitor from Kansas City.

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Mary Haworth's Mail

Speaking From Past Experience as Wallflower, Happy Young Wife Says You Don't Have to Be Belle of the Ball to Find Friends and Romance

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: To my mind, your reply to Jane, in your column of December 28, left much to be said. Evidently you have never known the experience of being a friendless wallflower, at the age of 19. Since I have been just as friendless, and just as unhappy about it, as Jane; and since I am now quite happy, with a fine husband and plenty of friends, perhaps I am better qualified to lend Jane a helping hand.

In the first place, Jane is making a mistake in trying to belong to a group of "cute, vivacious" girls. She has many fine qualities and seems to be the sort of person whom I, for instance, would choose as a friend. But she will never show at her best as long as she persists in trying to be a square peg in a round hole. That was my big social mistake. I, too, was serious and did well in my studies. But I tried to tag along with the social butterflies in my private school. As a result, I was horribly snubbed by the girls I ran after; and ignored by the boys in their crowd, except when they played practical jokes on me. Looking back now, I realize there were many fine girls and boys in that school with whom I could have been friends. Fortunately, after three years of torture, I changed schools and began to choose my friends from those whose interests were more like mine.

In the second place, Jane is placing too much emphasis on dancing, as the supposed "open sesame" to popularity. Dancing can be a lot of fun; but NOT when you are the eternal wallflower, worrying because you have no come-hither. I was a wallflower at every dance, until I learned *never to go to a dance without an escort.* Never, that is, until you have developed selfassurance to the point where you don't suffer when you are ignored by the crowd. But my advice to Jane is: Don't worry if you never attract a dancing partner. I have learned it is possible to be supremely happy, without being, a belle of the ball.

Some Down-to-Earth Pointers for "Jane"

THIRDLY, if Jane is living alone (and she says, "I would rather die than be alone one more month,") she should move to a boarding house; or at least a rooming house, and preferably share a room with another girl. That is a quick way to find companions with whom to eat, chat, go to the movies, etc. It is easy to make efriends in the casual, informal atmosphere of a boarding or rooming house. If, by spring, she has not found a satisfactory place to live, I heartily recommend spending the summer at the Y. W. C. A. Vacation Lodge in nearby Virginia. She may get full particulars from the Y headquarters, at 17th and K sts. nw., telephone MEtropolitan 2100. Reservations must be made early.

FOURTHLY, Jane should join a young people's church group. She should shop around, if necessary, to find the church of her denomination that has a lively bunch of young people, and a full program of weekday as well as Sunday social activities. Many such groups go bowling, skating, hiking, swimming, etc., and some have social evenings, with dancing as one of the features. And while there is some pairing off in such a group, there is always a large number of unattached people with whom she could feel at ease. Undoubtedly, also, there will be others present as shy as herself. And if the officers ask for help in preparing refreshments or such-like, she should be quick to offer her services. Soon she will find herself an accepted member of the group; and then she can do as she did in school,—look out for the newcomers and the lonely guests and make them feel welcome Of course, she can't do all this in a week. Perhaps three months should see her firmly established.

When Nobody Cares, You're an Introvert

FIFTHLY, if she feels that nobody cares whether she lives or dies, she is probably living only for herself. In Jane's position, I would volunteer as a Nurse's Aide, or take up some other form of war work. A friend of mine used to go with a group of girls to one of the Army camps on Sunday afternoons, to play games with soldiers convalescing from illness and operations; and these visits were greatly appreciated by the soldiers. I don't know who planned these trips; but perhaps the Red Cross could tell her. She might call REpublic 8300, extension 612, and talk with Miss Helene Moore, in the Services to Armed Forces branch of the Red Cross.

SIXTHLY, I wonder how often Jane pays compliments to people. Not very often, I bet. Most people do not pass out compliments freely. Usually, it is only sweethearts, and sometimes family, who tell us how much we mean to them. As for the rest of the world,—if people are not openly antagonistic, usually they don't dislike us. And if they welcome our company, it is a sign they do like us. For myself, even after I stopped being definitely unpopular, I never used to feel that I was well-liked. But I was amazed, time and again, at the lovely things various groups did for me on special occasions,—when I changed jobs, for instance; and when I got married.

Beware of Pushing Yourself on People

LASTLY, don't expect people to come begging you to join their fun. Find a group containing people with whom you feel at ease, do your share of the work, and soon you will be a valued member of that group, making close friends there and elsewhere. In the meantime, until you are on your feet socially, don't be in a hurry to get chummy with new acquaintances. Be friendly and accept any advances made; but don't scare people off by trying to rush them. And don't worry too much about love and marriage. My romances started when I had reached the comparatively advanced age of 21; and now I have been happily married for almost five years. H. W.

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Your Baby And Mine

By Myrtle Meyer Eldred

I'm going to let a correspondent take over for today, for what she says is well worth saying.

"One day," she writes, "a friend of mine had a guest for lunch. Both had 16-months-old children. My friend fed her baby and put her in her crib for her nap.

"'How wonderful,' said her guest, 'we have to rock our baby for hours.'

The guest's baby wouldn't sit in a high chair but only on her mother's lap, from which point she pulled the cloth and upset things. To the suggestion of a playpen the mother said. 'He would never stay there,' though the hostess pointed out that he'd have to, it had such high sides.

"I've known children who have been allowed to play with the sharp knives, barber shears and with saws. Don't you agree that children are exposed to enough dangers without inviting more"?

Mother's should use their imagination to foresee possible dangers and to forestall them. The mother who does, will keep him in a safe place, well within hearing, while she does these things—washing, ironing, cooking with sharp utensils—which familiarity had led her to view without seeing.

The mother who says her children "won't" do things which other children do with pleasure, puts a label on her own incompetence. The child is controlling her by his whims when she should be controlling the child for his own good.

Small children should be in a playpen, or a room with a gate or a porch with screens, in order that they may play actively as children want to play, without being exposed to the dangers of a purely adult environment

Not only is the child freed of possible physical injury but his behavior is not subjected to constant punishment, since what he does in his guarded play-place does not annoy the parent.

The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

Money of Her Own

In all the talk about the recent spending spree, it should not be forgotten that a great deal of the buying was done by housewives who were experiencing for the first time the privilege of being generous with their own money. The biggest Christmas sales were in war plant areas, in some of which business was 25 per cent above that of last Christmas. These sales were by no means confined to fur coats and jewelry, as reports of the flashier spending would indicate. There was heavy buying in utility goods, including wearing apparel for children (when it could be obtained) and household supplies. Strangely, books set a new record as gifts both for adults and children.

This affords another clew to the widely discussed mystery: Will housewives who are war-workers go home when peace comes? It shows that the housewives, in deciding that question, will find themselves strongly pulled in opposite directions. A return home would give them relief from the exhausting physical strain of running two full-time jobs. But it would also mean an end of personal pay checks, an end to the first truly economic freedom many of them have ever known.

Bought Gifts For Others

The one redeeming feature of the big holiday grab was the touching zest with which housewives who had been stinted all their lives in expressing their generous impulses bought gifts for those who were dear to them. It will be hard for them—say the Christmas after next—to have to maneuver Santa Claus' expense account out of husbands' pay checks, which may be even less in size than the ones working wives are now receiving. Even those wives who have handled the family budgets, and doled their men out quarters for expense money, have already found it is not the same as having money indisputably their own.

Money of her own—that had been one of woman's chief dreams down the years. It has been back of her arduous and pathetic attempts to pick up pin money on the side by raising chickens, taking in boarders or sewing, making little things to sell. It has caused her to resort to petty subterfuge of all kinds, such as padding the grocery bill, even stinting herself at the table, to get funds for the little personal expenses that no man can ever understand.

Gold-Digger Has Economic Basis

Lack of money of her own has put her in the insecure and humilitating position of practicing guile and machination, and of waging long undercover campaigns to get a new rug or a new coat, or music lessons for the children, or funds to pay church or club dues. It has been the genesis of the golddigger, the clinging vine and even the shrew. It has injected indirection into the entire relationship between men and women.

There will be approximately 20 million women employed when the war ends. Of these, from 8 to 10 million will be in war industries. Many of these will find their jobs nonexistent as the Nation gets on a peace basis. They may have to go home temporarily at least. Others will go home from choice.

In the final pull between the home and the pay check neither force will, of course, win complete victory. But woman's recent demonstration of what money of her own means to her indicates that she will hold much of the ground she has gained in her slow but unremitting advance toward economic freedom.

Avoid Financial Crises With A Workable Wartime Budget

By Elizabeth M. Boykin

A lot of us are muddling through a mathematical maze these days, for that tidy prewar budget doesn't work as neatly as it did before the war. While the wiseacres worry about ceilings, inflation and other matters of political arithmetic, it's up to the women to translate a changed financial setup into terms of the family income and outgo.

Don't trip along blithely and blindly from day to day, hoping it will all smooth out at the end of the month. A wartime budget will avoid either deflation or inflation on your own home front.

First, get your net income by deducting income taxes and war savings from your gross income. This gives you the amount you actually have to spend.

Here are the accepted percentages that the experts have worked out for an average family: 20 per cent for shelter, 22 per cent for food, 11 per cent for house operation, 14 per cent for clothes, 9 per cent for investments and life insurance, 24 per cents for ups and downs (education, hobbies, antiques, sports, books, car or whatever are included in the "ups," with doctors, hospitals etc. among the "downs.")

Whether you can keep within the 20 per cent figure for housing depends on conditions where you live. But try to keep shelter costs at about this amount—whether the money goes for rent or for a house you're buying.

With food costs up, you may have to borrow from your "up and down" allotment to make your books balance, but then your car expense is much less and you're probably spending less for hobbies, clubs and vacations these days.

As for clothes, though costs are up, we hope you're making-do with less and making over more of your old ones. So the 14 per cent clothes allotment ought to work, despite higher prices. Home furnishing replacements should normally come out of that 24 per cent "up and down" item, or from savings on your 11 per cent maintenance.

But the main safeguard for financial crises in the family is—do your arithmetic before you spend—not afterward.

Ration Points

Consumer complaints should be referred to the nearest War Price and Ration Board. These boards are listed on Page 679 in your telephone directory.

MEATS, FATS—Canned milk, butter, margarine, lard, fats and oils, cheese and canned fish—Brown stamps R and S valid through January 29.

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Sibyl Bowan Prepares For an Overseas Tour

By Marjorie Kelly.

"If you can make people laugh it's a sin to keep it to yourself," is the philosophy of Sibyl Bowan, who's currently headlining the stage bill at the Earle. And because she believes this, she'll be joining the USO for foreign service as soon as she can get her contracts cleared up, which will be by the end of February.

Miss Bowan, a vital, energetic entertainer if there ever was one, has been entertaining in this country for a long while. Her USO appearances have taken her into every stage door canteen and theater canteen in the country, and nearly every hospital.

But it wasn't until she went through the Lederman Hospital in San Francisco, "working" every ward, even the depressing mental wards, that she decided to go overseas.

"It was the mental ward that did it," she saids, "There was a group of boys just five days off the boat, who hadn't had any treatment yet. When I saw those boys, and saw what a marvelous audience they made once I got their attention, I called up my agent and told him to book me for overseas duty right away. I had always promised my mother I wouldn't go overseas, that I'd do all my entertaining at home, but after I saw that ward at Lederman—well, if anyone wants to know what war is, they can just go to a mental ward.

"The most you can do isn't enough for those boys."

Learning First Aid

The "First Lady of Laughter" is preparing for her trip in typically thorough fashion. She's taking advantage of the two months her contracts have to run to learn enough acts so that she can entertain for two hours. With comedy acts, songs, and community singing she can do it. She is also learning first aid, on the tip of friends who have come back and told her that they had been pressed into emergency service when there hadn't been enough nurses.

"There are times over there when an entertainer standing around just looking pretty isn't very much use," she says.

Another tip she's following up is the collection of perfumes in solid forms—creams and powders. "Liquid perfumes are apt to break and spill, but you can't go without perfume—the boys want girls to smell good, and this is one time when I'll be Miss America," she told me.

And she's spangling all her costumes.

Reducing

One problem is how to reduce the 300 pounds of costumes, music, etc., she usually carries with her to the 75-pound maximum the Army will allow her to take. The music is easily reduced—for a full orchestra she has to carry 30 pounds of music—but she won't have a full orchestra overseas. She is going to take just lead sheets for a pianist or accordionist—that being the accompaniment she'll most often have. ("Though I'll settle for a harmonica!")

Miss Bowan's long experience in USO shows here has made her practical about dressing room facilities. Usually she's had to stand behind her trunk to dress. So she has had made for her a large blue denim apron which is a portable dressing table by itself. It has zipper compartment for shoes, hose and makeup. When she has to duck behind a trunk and dress she'll be able to change swiftly and easily, without even a table to put her cosmetics on—everything will be hung right on her.

Relaxing

Sibyl Bowan's schedule when she's on vacation at her home in Hollywood will give you an idea of how this versatile and tireless entertainer relaxes.

On a recent three-week "rest" there, she worked at the USO every afternoon, at the Hollywood canteen in the early evenings, later in the evenings at the Playtime Theater for the Naval Auxiliary, and occasionally at the Actors' Home.

Mornings she'd go to the Breakfast Club, besides entertaining at a hospital now and then, and in between trying to snail her garden, "an impossible job in California!"

Oh, yes; she did get time to go to a studio. The director had called for a comedienne. When he saw her he said, "Oh, no; what I had in mind was someone funny, but about 18 years old."

"Mister," Sibyl Bowan told him, "it takes you 18 years to get funny."

Fledgling Starlet Gets a Break

Hollywood.—Gail Russell, the black-haired, blue-eyed young beauty who was a student at Santa Monica High School less than a year ago and is now a fledgling movie queen, continues to play in luck.

Handed the ingenue plum of the season as the haunted heroine of "The Uninvited," the screen's first serious ghost story, Gail has Ray Milland for a partner in the love-making scenes. For a cameraman she has Charles Lang, who always directs the camera on Claudette Colbert's films. And assigned to make all the pretty still pictures of Gail is Kenneth Loben who took the pictures of Veronica Lake that made her famous even before "I Wanted Wings" was released.

Favorite on Navy

Jean Parker's mail from men in the service is especially heavy from the Navy. The star has made two pictures in succession with a Navy background, "Minesweeper" and "The Navy Way," both Pine-Thomas productions for Paramount. Word that the actress is a regular person got around fast among the bluejackets.

Horses, Horses

Jack Haley, who plays a comic vaudeville horse in "Take It Big," the Pine-Thomas musical, really got interested in horses during the filming of the picture. He purchased two sturdy work horses for his new ranch near Escondido, Calif.

Bound for Overseas

SIBYL BOWAN

One of Washington's favorite entertainers, Miss Bowan, who is now singing at the Earle Theater, will shortly join the USO entertainers trekking overseas

HEDDA HOPPER

There's No Famine Yet!

Hollywood, Calif., Jan. 2.—Remember Arthur Train's "Mr. Tutt" stories? Well, he was so enthusiastic about Raymond Massey in "Abraham Lincoln" that he has given him the complete rights to all those stories. Massey will have them woven into a play first, then use 'em in pictures. Before he can do either of those things, though, he has to report for a picture at Warner's, as soon as he winds up in Katharine Cornell's play on Broadway. . . . Dorothy Parker returns with Gregory Ratoff to work on his "Bandwagon." She's one of the few persons who can silence him. "Every time she opens her mouth out come pearls. I want she should open her mouth and keep it that way," says he. . . . Ann Sheridan had Steve Hannagan for her Christmas present. . . . Did you know James Cagney had gone overseas? . . . The laugh of the week—how RKO outsmarted Paramount by rushing "Tender Comrade" into a New York theater while Paramount sits with "Lady in the Dark"—a three-million-dollar production—which was made before "Tender Comrade."

RAYMOND MASSEY

'Tain't That Bad Yet

Edgar Buchanan, the dentist turned actor, barged into Harry Cohn's office and wanted to know why he couldn't have a juvenile role, since there is such a shortage af leading men. Cohn looked at Buchanan, who's in his early 40s, and cracked, "Sure, there's a shortage—but it isn't any famine!" . . . Jackie Jenkins, who made such a hit in "Human Comedy," plays a character in "National Velvet." He'll be Elizabeth Taylor's brother and is just the opposite of the lad he played in his first. We hoped he would bear his grandfather's name, Bide Dudley, but his older brother has that honor.

Good and Bad Actors

Irene Dunne spends New Year's Eve in Lompoc, Tex. Speaking of that State, one of the boys training down in San Antonio wrote what they think of George Montgomery. He was sent down to make an Army training film. But because he and his director disagreed as to how the part was to be played, they kept 2000 air cadets, wearing nothing but shorts, parading around a whole day while they made up their minds. It was one of those cold, windy Texas days. You can bet George made himself no friends among that bunch. . . . Norman Taurog is off for Dannemora, N. Y., to visit the Rev. Ambrose Hyland on the new "Church of the Good Thief," which Metro will make. But there's more to this story than meets the eye. I'll tell you about it some day.

Geared to Fit

I asked Geraldine Fitzgerald, who'll play the second Mrs. Wilson, how she ever expected to balance those birds on her head. She replied, "I'll wear a pompadour, of course, and for my height birds can't be as high or as wide as those Mrs. Wilson wore, but they come in smaller sizes, don't they?" Geraldine's delighted with the part. You can bet she'll give an outstanding performance, too . . . In writing of "Bernadette" I forgot to mention Gladys Cooper's fine performance. For her it's just a forerunner of better parts, and about time, too . . . Nice to see Glenn Hunter make a comeback in "A Public Affair" at the Left Bank Theater . . . Baron Polan has gone overboard for Ginny Simms . . . Judy Garland can't marry that guy who's in love with her, 'cause David Rose still is and won't agree to a divorce.

Still at It

Each year John Hambleton designs a Christmas tree for a star. This year Ann Sothern was lucky. Its branches were of pale blue ostrich feathers, with gilded ornaments and gold birds flying through the branches. He called it "Maisie's Dream." Last year he did a Mexican one for Ray Milland, all done up with Mexican colors—red, green and white—and decorated with tiny Mexican pottery. Ray's using it again this year, and I'm wearing the Christmas tree hat John did for me two years ago . . . George Sidney, who directed "Thousands Cheer" on his time off, takes home movies. He recently finished "The Sidneys at Home." He's got another in work—"Rhapsody in Sidney" (not Australia). He does the music, too . . . Bob Watson, who plays Hitler, is kept on the set late and has to order his groceries by phone. The other night he didn't get to the market till 7. One of the clerks spied him and said to a waiting group. "Pardon me while I get Hitler's groceries first!" One dear old lady fainted.

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LEONARD LYONS

Times Square Tattle

New York, Jan. 2.—Comdr. Roy S. Benson of the U. S. Submarine Patrol, whose photo appears in the current issue of Life, was reminiscing of the Christmas Eve he spent one year ago, in a sub cruising off Rabaul. Benson began to lead his men in the singing of Christmas carols. Suddenly, the lookout spotted a Jap seaplane - tender. Benson submerged his boat, approached the tender, attacked and sank it. Then Commander Benson surfaced his sub, and resumed the carol-singing.

CHARLES CHAPLIN

Time's Man of the Year—the editors announced last week that the choice had narrowed to Stalin, Hull and The American Soldier—will be The American Soldier . . . Assistant Attorney General Tom Clark may resign and enter private practice in Texas, preparatory to campaigning for the Senatorship against W. Lee O'Daniel . . . Warner Bros. had a junket for the movie critics, taking them to the sub base at New London, Conn., for the premiere of "Destination, Tokyo." The guest list first had to be submitted to the Navy for approval. The list was checked thoroughly—and one critic was refused permission to enter the base.

A Hollywood columnist heard a rumor that Charles Chaplin and his wife, Oona O'Neil, were having a baby. The columnist phoned Chaplin, and asked: "Is it true that you and Oona are having a baby?" . . . "Just a moment," Chaplin answered. The columnist then heard Chaplin shouting: "Oonah. Oh, Oonah. Are you having a baby? What did you say, Oona? No, eh? . . . Chaplin returned to the telephone, and assured the columnist: "No. It's not true."

George Raft, who just arrived in N. Y., is being inoculated in preparation for a USO tour overseas. Senator McNary has taken a turn for the worse, and his colleagues are saddened by the thought that the popular legislator may not return to his seat . . . David Dubinsky, head of the ILGWU, will decide the fate of the American Labor Party next week . . . Henry La Cossett, fiction editor of the American Magazine, will be the new managing editor at Collier's. The British drama rights to Ernest Hemingway's "The Fifth Column" have been sold and the play will be produced in England in March.

Something New Has Been Added to Show Business: When the Mary Martin show opened recently, the critics commented on the clothes worn by the star. The clothes were designed by Mainbocher, who received the usual credits in the theater program listings . . . Mainbocher then was commissioned by Ruth Gordon to design the clothes she will wear in "Over Twenty-one," the new play which Miss Gordon wrote and which will open on Broadway next week. And Mainbocher's contract provides that in all the advertising of the play his name shall appear in the same size type as that accorded the play's director, George S. Kaufman.

The "William B. Leeds," a new Victory ship, will be launched in California next month. Leeds was the Tin-Plate King. His son, the noted Billy Leeds, now is a petty officer and is away at sea. The ship, therefore, will be christened by Billy's wife, Olive Leeds . . . Penologists and psychiatrists are observing Robert Naschak, the 16-year-old desperado recently sentenced to a 20-to-40-year term, to determine whether there still is a possibility of rehabilitating the boy . . . Frank Gannett, the upState publisher who sought the presidential nomination in '40, is seeking Dewey's backing for the senatorial nomination, to run against Wagner.

Last week the papers reported that one of the White House secretaries revealed that the President's pet, Fala, was named after a remote Scottish ancestor of the President's—Murray, the outlaw of Fala Hill . . . Fala arrived at the White House during the '40 campaign. Many of the President's friends thought that the name was "Falla," pronounced as in "Falla Amuhricans," Willkie's speech-opener. "No, it's 'Fala,' with one 'L,'" the President insisted. "If they spell it with two 'L's,' then they must mean another dog" . . . But not until now did the President reveal the explanation of the name. For Murray, the outlaw of Fala Hill, was a brigand. The President teased his mother about him, but she refused to admit that any ancestors of their's was a brigand. And the President, while she lived, kept it a family secret.

Arnold Reuben, the restaurateur, provided 1100 dinners and 48 long-distance phone calls to servicemen on Christmas . . . In its anxiety to keep it's Man-of-the-Year selection a secret, the editors of Time sent to the Midwest a few advance copies of next week's issue, with a different cover than the one which really will be used . . . Gene Krupa, who is drawing as much applause as ever during his current engagement with Tommy Dorsey at the Paramount, baffled the inmates of the California jail where he spent some time while awaiting his trial. They watched Krupa practicing his drumming, beating his sticks against a rubber mat. The veterans couldn't understand his strange rhythm, for they'd been in jail so long they never had heard of swing.

Sings Third Time In Her Career

Hollywood.—For the third time in her career, Joan Fontaine will sing a song in "Frenchman's Creek," And in spite of that Academy Award, she is as nervous about it as the leading lady in a high school play just before curtain time.

Occasion of Joan's ordeal by song is the banquet scene in the picture when she, as the Lady Dona St. Columb, plays for time hoping that her lover, the French pirate, played by Arturo de Cordova, will sail away in his Corsair before the Cornwall gentry assembled at her banquet table plotting his capture can effect it.

Air Pioneer

Jose Iturbi, currently featured in "Two Sisters and a Sailor," was one of the first passengers to fly across the English Channel in an old Farman plane.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

AT THE BEGINNING of the New Year, Washington officials who watch the trend of the war admit privately that "things will happen very fast" in the next few months. If pressed, they even make flat predictions that Germany will fold before summer.

Publicly, they stick to the line that it will be a long war. This is the only sound position to take, as an official line, since no war can be successfully waged if the people spend their time peeping around the corner of the approach of peace.

But the facts allow a hopeful expectation. Unquestionably the invasion of Europe will be a winter invasion. For many reasons, spring will be too late. February is the likeliest month. The exact time will be no secret to the Nazis, because we will be pounding the French coast well in advance.

The offensive will be a tremendous operation, combining a cross-Channel invasion with heavy drives from Russia and Italy, plus all-out air attacks everywhere. (The Balkan invasion urged by Churchill is doubtful.)

Some experts go as far as to name the length of time—in days—which this big operation will require, before the end. One highly placed official says it will take three months and 20 days. Thus, if the invasion starts by mid-February, this would mean the end by early June.

But military experts won't say such things out loud, because they fear the U. S. public will overlook the fact that the days between February and June will be the bloodiest days in the history of all the world's wars.

Army Postal Service

LIEUT. GEN. MARK CLARK has one technique with private soldiers; Lieut. Gen. George Patton another.

On a recent visit to the front lines, General Clark found a soldier busy scribbling a V-mail letter on his mess kit. The soldier looked as though he had lost his last friend, so General Clark asked him what was wrong.

"O[illegible]ing a little weary of this life, sir," replied the soldier.

"What's your trouble?" asked General Clark.

"Why, I haven't received a letter in five days, General," replied the soldier. "What does the Postoffice Department think we are over here—a bunch of archeologists?"

"Personally, I think five days is pretty good service from the United States to the front lines, son," replied Clark. "But I'll talk to the postal service officials and see if you can't get your love letters quicker. I can see your point, soldier."

The Army postal service, which has done a good job in the war, is still chuckling over the incident.

Jap-American Soldiers

HIGH EXECUTIVES of the War Department are proud of the way in which Japanese-American soldiers have responded to the call of American patriotism and done a good job in the Army.

Enlisting American-born Japanese in the U. S. Army was frankly an experiment and many old-line officers were very skeptical. However, Undersecretary of War Patterson and Assistant Secretary Jack McCloy insisted that they be given a chance. The performance of Japanese-American troops in battle has more than justified this confidence in them.

Reports from Italy pay tribute to the bravery of one Jap-American battalion which was under heavy fire. Most of its men were recruited from Hawaii. They fought with great heroism and the casualty lists were very heavy.

When Undersecretary of War Patterson was in the Southwest Pacific not long ago, Gen. Oscar Griswold asked him to meet his Intelligence unit. Patterson stepped into the Intelligence tent and there met five grinning Japs. They were not prisoners, but Hawaiian-born, and were entrusted with the vitally important job of translating intelligence information picked up from the enemy.

The Japanese-Americans are all carefully investigated before they enter the Army, but in no case has one of them, after entering the Army, betrayed trust.

Mrs. Bennett Clark

LAST YEAR, at a school track meet in Washington, two twins aged about 14 took high honors. Both perfect physical specimens, they won almost every event.

As they were handed silver loving cups, a friend remarked to their mother, Mrs. Bennett Clark, wife of the Senator from Missouri: "How thrilled you must be to have two such fine, active boys."

"Yes," admitted radiant Mrs. Clark. "I am happy—because, you see, I myself cannot walk."

Mrs. Clark died the other day. She had been crippled from infantile paralysis most of her life and, in recent months, from cancer. Few knew how much she suffered. But she never let her own suffering interfere with her job of being a mother. And she was happy when she died in leaving behind three fine monuments to motherhood—Champ, now in the Marines, and the twins, Marsh and Kimball.

Capital Chaff

ONLY EIGHT STATES out of 48 normally hold meetings of their Legislatures this year at which they could vote to send ballots to soldiers. They are: Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Wisconsin . . . While most high officials worked as usual during the Christmas holidays, Jesse Jones was off for a 10-day rest with old cronies in Texas. His Commerce Department staff got only one day off at Christmas . . . Few people realize what a great job the soldier-edited camp newspapers are doing for morale. There are scores of them, all packed with reader-appeal. One entertaining soldier-sheet just celebrating its first anniversary is "G.I." edited by Harry Brandschain at the U. S. Army Reception Center, New Cumberland, Pa. . . . Max Gordon's new show, "Over Twenty-One," features a synthetic Herbert Bayard Swope and his struggle to keep a liberal newspaper alive, while its editor, a synthetic Ralph Ingersoll, is in the Army.

Show Time

STAGE

National—"Jackpot" at 8:30 p. m.

Gayety—Burlesque at 12 noon, 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

SCREEN

Earle—"Destination Tokyo," at 10 a. m., 12:55, 3:55, 6:55 and 9:55. Stage shows at 12:15, 3:15, 6:15 and 9:20 p. m.

Capitol—"Lost Angel" at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:20 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 1:05, 3:50, 6:40 and 9:25 p. m.

Palace—"Thousands Cheer," at 10:55 a. m., 1:40, 4:20, 7, and 9:40 p. m.

RKO-Keith's — "Government Girl" at 11:25 a. m., 1:25, 3:30, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:40 p. m.

Columbia—"Lassie Come Home" 11:45 a. m., 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45, and 9:45 p. m.

Metropolitan—"The Heat's On," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:15, 5:25, 7:35 and 9:40 p. m.

Ambassador — "Destination Tokyo," at 1:30, 4, 6:30, and 9:10 p. m.

Little—"Jeannie," at 11 a. m., 12:50, 2:35, 4:20, 6:05, 7:50 and 9:50 p. m.

Pix—"Unknown Guest" at 2:10, 4:50, 7:14 and 9:28 p. m. "Farmer Goes to Town" at 3:20, 5:55, 8:20, and 10:30 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreels and shorts, at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:48, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 p. m. and 12:05 a. m.

Mae West's at the Metropolitan

"The Heat's On," Mae West's comeback vehicle, makes minimal use of the lush and slinky person of its star, choosing rather to devote long and tiring sequences to a three-cornered battle between two rival producers vying for her services and a foundation dedicated to the uprooting of all that comes under its definition of vice.

So the film currently at the Metropolitan as a whole does not have the sparkle one might look for. However, sequences involving Hazel Scott, and others with Xavier Cugat and his orchestra are so smartly turned out as to make it all worth while for fans of these personalities.

Hazel Scott does two of her highly difficult piano routines, including one in which she plays two pianos at once. She performs with verve, showmanship and admirable skill.

Lina Romay, Xavier Cugat's soloist, is a very photogenic young lady whose shapely figure and comely face augment the effect of a lovely voice. The orchestra's tunes are not likely to make the hit parade, but Maestro Cugat gets them up as attractively as possible.

Victor Moore as the unwilling angel who backs Miss West's show against his better judgment and his conscience is amusing when he gets a chance to be, but he is given almost nothing funny to say. A fair sample of the gags he has been provided with is the following:

Miss West: "Like to cut a rug?"

Moore—"Well, no, these rugs are too expensive."

William Gaxton makes the best of an ungrateful role; in supporting roles Lester Allen, Mary Roche, Alan Dinehart and Almira Sessions are briefly glimpsed. M. K.

Adviser Experienced

Felix Bernstein has been set as technical adviser on "The Seventh Cross," starring Spencer Tracy with Signe Hasso. Interesting sidelight on the assignment is that for 10 years Bernstein was M-G-M representative in the city of Mainz, Germany, where the majority of the action takes place.

Girls as Musicians

An all-girl orchestra will be one of the highlights of the new Ann Sothern starring vehicle, "Maisie Goes to Reno," which will be produced by George Haight.

Trans-Lux

"Age of Flight," twelfth in the excellent "This Is America" series headlines the current bill at the Trans-Lux. It is a picture story of aviation in the making, from Kitty Hawk to the helicopter.

Of prime interest among the spot news are clips showing President Roosevelt delivering his Christmas message and official Navy action shots showing the Yanks cleaning out the Japs on Makin Island. The President is also shown enjoying a quiet Christmas at Hyde Park with Mrs. Roosevelt and their children and grandchildren.

There are clips of the New York hotel fire which took a toll of seventeen lives, of Sonja Henie in the Chicago ice show, of Hollywood stars beginning a USO tour of camps, and of the New York family which joined the Navy en masse.

Walt Disney's Donald Duck cartoon, "Home Defense," a sportscope, "Barnyard Golf," (meaning the ancient game of pitching horseshoes) and "No Exceptions," a Government short, complete the bill.

AMUSEMENTS

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Evgs. at 8:30. Mats. at 2:30
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BEVERLY 15th and E Sts. N.E. LI. 3300. Mat. 1 P.M.
Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland in "Girl Crazy," at 1:00, 3:00, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30.

CALVERT 2324 Wisc. Ave. N.W. WO. 8345. Mat. 1 P.M.
Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland in "Girl Crazy," at 1:00, 3:05, 5:15, 7:25, 9:35. Disney Cartoon.

CENTRAL 425 9th St. N.W. ME. 2841 Open 9:45
Fred Astaire, Joan Leslie in "The Sky's the Limit," at 10:00, 12:50, 3:50, 6:45, 9:45. Richard Dix in "The Kansan," 11:35, 2:30, 5:30, 8:25.

KENNEDY Kennedy Nr. 4th N.W. RA. 6600. Mat. 1 P.M.
Nelson Eddy, Susanna Foster in "Phantom of the Opera," at 1:30, 3:35, 5:35, 7:40, 9:40.

PENN Pa. Ave. at 7th S.E. FR. 5200 Mat. 1 P.M.
Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland in "Girl Crazy," at 1:00, 3:05, 5:15, 7:25, 9:35. Donald Duck.

SHERIDAN Ga. & Sheridan N.W. RA. 2400. Mat. 1 P.M.
Betty Grable, Robert Young in "Sweet Rosie O'Grady," at 1:40, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40, 9:45. March of Time.

SILVER Ga. Ave. & Colesville Pike SH. 5500. Mat. 1 P.M.
Olivia de Havilland, Robert Cummings in "Princess O'Rourke," at 1:25, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:35.

TIVOLI 14th & Park Rd. N.W. CO. 1800 Mat. 1 P.M.
Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland in "Girl Crazy," at 1:00, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30, 9:45. Disney Cartoon.

UPTOWN Conn. & Newark N.W. WO. 8400 Mat. 1 P.M.
Judy Garland, Mickey Rooney in "Girl Crazy," at 1:00, 3:05, 5:15, 7:25, 9:35.

Theaters Having Eve. Performances

APOLLO 624 H St. N.E. FR. 5300
Nelson Eddy, Susanna Foster in "Phantom of the Opera," at 6:15, 8:00, 9:45.

AVALON 5612 Conn. Ave. N.W. WO. 9800
Olivia de Havilland, Robert Cummings in "Princess O'Rourke," at 5:45, 7:40, 9:45.

AVE. GRAND 645 Pa. Ave. S.E. LI. 2406
Dead End Kids in "Mr. Muggs Steps Out," at 6:30, 8:10, 9:55.

COLONY 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W. GE. 6500
Bob Hope, Betty Hutton in "Let's Face It," at 6:15, 8:10, 10:05. Disney Cartoon.

HOME 1230 C St. N.E. TR. 6188
Ruth Warrick, Joan Carroll in "Petticoat Larceny," at 6:25, 8:50. Chester Morris in "Aerial Gunner," at 7:25, 9:50.

SAVOY 3030 14th St. N.W. CO. 4968
Alan Curtis, Michele Morgan in "Two Tickets to London" at 6:15, 7:55, 9:40.

SECO 8244 Ga. Ave., Silver Spring SH. 2540
Jerome Cowan in "Find the Blackmailer" at 6:40, 8:55. Kenny Baker in "Doughboys in Ireland," 7:35, 9:50.

TAKOMA 4th & Butternut Sts. GE. 4812
Fred Astaire, Joan Leslie in "The Sky's the Limit" at 6:15, 8:05, 9:55.

YORK Ga. Ave. & Quebec Pl. N.W. RA. 4400
James Cagney in "Johnny Come Lately" at 6:15, 8:00, 9:50.

HYATTSVILLE Wash.-Balt. Blvd. Hyattsville, Md.
Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland "GIRL CRAZY" at 6:15, 8:10, 10:10.

BETHESDA 7719 Wisconsin Ave. Wisc. 1154
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Pat O'Brien, Ruth Terry "SLIGHTLY HONORABLE"
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CONGRESS 2021 Nichols Ave. S.E. TR. 8700
Bob Hope, Betty Hutton in "LET'S FACE IT" at 6:15, 8:05, 9:35.

FAIRLAWN 1542 Good Hope Rd. S.E. Lincoln 0102
Fred Astaire, Joan Leslie in "THE SKY'S THE LIMIT" at 6:25, 8:20, 9:45.

HIGHLAND 2533 Pa. Ave. S.E. AT. 7211
Betty Grable, Robert Young in "SWEET ROSIE O'GRADY" in Technicolor at 6:20, 8:10, 9:55.

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Red Skelton, Eleanor Powell in "I DOOD IT." Cont. 1—Last complete show 9.

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Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland

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Betty Grable, Robert Young

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Monty Woolley, Gracie Fields
"SUBMARINE BASE"
John Litel, Alan Baxter

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Fred Astaire, Joan Leslie

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"BACKGROUND TO DANGER"
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THURSDAY
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ON STAGE
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"THOUSANDS CHEER"
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'LASSIE COME HOME'

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Col. Rohrer's Rites Are Set For Tomorrow

Funeral services for Lieut. Col. Harvey V. Rohrer, 47, who had been stationed with the Military Intelligence Service of the War Department here since 1940, will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. in Fort Myer Chapel. Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

Lieutenant Colonel Rohrer died Thursday at Walter Reed Hospital, where he had been taken upon arrival here December 23 after an eight weeks' mission in London. He became ill on the return air trip. His wife, Mrs. Bernyce Rohrer, resides at 8449 Woodcliff st., Silver Spring, Md.

After several years in the Department of Commerce, he spent five years in the Philippines as trade commissioner. He returned to America in 1933 and became professor of foreign trade at the University of Michigan. Later he was employed by the Treasury Department procurement division here.

From 1937 to 1940 he was vice president of the Philippine Engineering Corps. A native of Abilene, Kans., he was a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and received an M. A. degree at George Washington University.

Mrs. C. W. Pimper

Funeral services will be held today at 3 p. m. for Mrs. Annie T. Denham Pimper, wife of Charles W. Pimper, vice president and treasurer of the Security Storage Co., at her home, 29 Primrose st., Chevy Chase, Md. Burial will be private.

Mrs. Pimper died Saturday at her home in Chevy Chase, where she had resided for the past 34 years. She was born in Washington 63 years ago, attended Western High School, and after graduation from Smith College taught school in Washington.

Survivors include three sons, Theodore D. Pimper of Chevy Chase, Capt. Charles W. Pimper, jr., stationed at Aberdeen, Md., and James L. Pimper of 5217 Roosevelt st., Bethesda, Md.; a sister, Miss Ruth M. Denham, a teacher at Central High School here; a brother, Col. James L. Denham of Quantico, Va., and two grandchildren.

Mrs. Rose V. Kirkland

Mrs. Rose Virginia Kirkland, 86, widow of William Kirkland, died yesterday at her home near Montrose, Md. She was born near Montrose and, except for a few years spent in Washington, was a life-long resident of that vicinity.

The funeral will take place at 9 a. m. tomorrow from St. Mary's Catholic Church, Rockville, Md. The pastor, the Rev. J. Gilbert Hann, will conduct the services, and burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mrs. Kirkland is survived by three daughters, Mrs. T. L. Perkins, Jersey City, N. J.; Mrs. L. Prescott Fisher, Montrose, and Sister Marie Louise, Georgetown Visitation Convent, and a son, William L. Kirkland. She also leaves three grandchildren.

Mrs. Josephine Andrews

Funeral services for Mrs. Josephine Davis Andrews, 73, a native and former resident of Montgomery County, Md., who died after a long illness in Salt Lake City last week, will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday at the Pumphrey funeral home, Bethesda. Burial will be in Rockville Union Cemetery.

Mrs. Andrews was the wife of Frank Andrews, retired employe of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, who before entering Government service was principal of Rockville High School. She also is survived by two sons, Joseph R. Andrews, Norfolk, Va., and Richard A. Andrews, USN, and a sister, Mrs. M. V. Browning of Baltimore.

Samuel Sardman

Samuel Sardman, 52, pioneer Washington haberdasher, of 5464 31st st. nw., died shortly after noon yesterday at Sibley Hospital, following a brief illness.

Funeral arrangements await instructions from a son, Lieut. Aaron G. Sardman, Medical Corps, USN, now overseas.

Surviving are the wife, Mrs. Ida R. Sardman, Lieutenant Sardman, and a daughter, Rose Esther Sardman.

Sardman was a member of Samuel Gompers Lodge of the Masonic order, a Shriner, and member of Southeast Hebrew Congregation.

He lived in the District for 37 years.

John P. Hallihan

Funeral services for John Philip Hallihan, 75, who died at Mount Alto Hospital Saturday, following several weeks illness, will be held at noon tomorrow at Gawler funeral home, 1756 Pennsylvania ave. nw., and will be followed at 1 p. m. by a family service at Arlington National Cemetery.

Mr. Hallihan, a major in the last war, was a Latin-American expert for the Foreign Economic Administration. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Helen Hallihan of 1915 Eye st. nw., and a son, Edward Hallihan of Philadelphia.

Dr. Lee Cohen

Baltimore, Jan. 2 (AP).—Dr. Lee Cohen, who died in Johns Hopkins Hospital on Friday, was buried in Oheb Shalom Cemetery today.

The 69-year-old doctor was one of the first surgeons in America to do plastic surgery of the nose. He also designed a number of plastic-surgery instruments and was the author of more than 20 medical papers.

Dr. Cohen was attending surgeon at Sinai Hospital and the Baltimore Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital and visiting surgeon at other hospitals here and in North Carolina.

John S. Williams

Montreal, Jan. 2 (AP). — Wing Comdr. John Scott Williams, 51, who organized the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1921, died Saturday night after a lenghty illness.

Rites Set Today For Capt. Massie, Official of V.M.I.

Lynchburg, Va., Jan. 2 (AP).—Funeral services will be held Monday for Capt. Robert Withers Massie, president of the board of visitors of Virginia Military Institute, who died Saturday night at Memorial Hospital here after a short illness.

The services will be conducted at 3 p. m. at St. Pauls' Episcopal Church, and burial will be in Presbyterian Cemetery.

The National and State flags on the VMI post will be flown at half-staff until after interment. Members of the VMI board will be included among honorary pallbearers.

Captain Massie, one of the leading members of the Virginia Society of Cincinnati and, at the time of his death, the oldest member of Sigma Nu Fraternity, was born April 24, 1858, at Three Springs, the Nelson County estate of his parents, Patrick Cabell Massie and Mrs. Susan C. Withers Massie.

Surviving are his wife and two sons, Robert W. Massie, jr., of Lynchburg, and N. Mason Massie of Glasgow, and a daughter, Miss Martha Massie of Lynchburg.

Dr. J. Louis Krick

Funeral services for Dr. J. Louis Krick, 78, retired druggist, who died at Garfield Hospital Saturday, after a long illness, will be held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at Gawler funeral home, 1756 Pennsylvania ave. nw. Burial will be in Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

Dr. Krick lived at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Helen Dunmore, Takoma Park, Md. Other survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Marie E. Owens, and a sister, Mrs. Anne Schmidt, all of Washington.

Bids and Proposals 6

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, January 3, 1944. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 320, District Building, until 10:00 A. M., January, 11, for furnishing Cotton Press Cloth, Schedule No. 4975-A, and 60,000 lbs. Shelled Corn, Schedule No. 5018-A; January 14, Conveyor System Parts, Schedule No. 4974-A. For specifications and information apply to Purchasing Officer, Room 320, District Building. 3,4,5

W. P. W. PROJECT NO. D. C. 49-145—COMMISSIONERS OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON, D. C. Separate sealed bids for furnishing and installing certain concrete walks at the site of the "EDWIN L. STANTON SCHOOL," located on the west side of Naylor Road south of Good Hope Road, Southeast (in Parcel 214/15), Washington, D. C., will be received by said Commissioners at Room 509, District Building, Washington, D. C., until 2:00 o'clock P. M., EWT, January 11, 1944, and then publicly opened and read aloud. The Instructions to Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond also Performance Bond, may be examined and secured at the Office of the Chief Clerk, Engineer Department, Room 427, District Building. Not more than two (2) sets will be furnished to any one general contractor, who must return same promptly and in good condition. The Commissioners reserve the right to waive any informalities in or to reject any or all bids. Each bidder must deposit with his bid security in an amount not less than five percentum (5%) of the base bid in the form and subject to the conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders. Time will not be a material factor in evaluating bids. (See paragraph 17 of Instructions to Bidders). Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract. No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty (30) days after the actual date of the opening thereof. (See paragraph 14 of Instructions to Bidders). G. M. THORNETT, Secretary, Board of Commissioners, D. C., January 3, 1944. 3,4,5,6,7,8

Auction Sales 8

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING KNOWN AS PREMISES NO. 908 FIRST STREET, NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded, in Liber No. 7887, folio 331 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell, at public auction in front of the premises, on TUESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1944, AT 2:30 O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, and designated as and being Lot numbered Twenty-seven (27) in Fisher and Davidge, Trustees' subdivision of Square numbered Five Hundred Sixty-One (561), as per plat recorded in the Office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia in Liber W. F. at folio 82.

TERMS: Sold subject to a prior building Association deed of trust for $3,450.40, further particulars of which will be announced at time of sale; the purchase price above said trust to be paid in cash. A deposit of $300.00 required. Conveyancing, recording etc., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with within thirty days, otherwise deposit forfeited and the property may be advertised and resold at the discretion of the trustees.

HERMAN MILLER,
FERD ESPEY,
Trustees.

Dec.22.24.27.30.Jan.3.

THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers
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TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE SEMI-DETACHED BRICK DWELLING KNOWN AS PREMISES NO. 2145 NEWPORT PLACE NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded, in Liber No. 7836, Folio 523 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell, at public auction in front of the premises, on MONDAY, THE TENTH DAY OF JANUARY A. D. 1944, AT THREE O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, and designated as and being parts of lots 19 and 20 in Powell et al subdivision of Square 69, as per plat recorded in the Office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia in Liber C H B at Folio 389. Said property being more particularly described by metes and bounds in said deed of trust; being now known for purposes of assessment and taxation as Lot 807 in Square 69.

TERMS: Sold subject to a prior building association deed of trust for $2,138.11, further particulars of which will be announced at time of sale; the purchase price above said trust to be paid in cash. A deposit of $200.00 required. Conveyancing, recording, etc., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with within thirty days, otherwise deposit forfeited and the property may be advertised and resold at the discretion of the trustees.

IDA SCHWARTZMAN,
ISADORE SCHWARTZMAN,
dec.28-31-jan3-6-8 Trustees.

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Lost and Found 10

BILLFOLD, black leather, zipper, on Friendship Hts. car Fri. eve.; widow's pay. Reward. HO. 5151, ext. 518.

DOG strayed from 2908 Oliver st., Ch. Ch., Md. Black cocker, male, white star on chest; owner's name, address, ph. no. on collar. Finder please call WI. 4049. Reward.

PURSE, black, small, flat, with zipper; initials U. S. Navy; contains $14.40; vic. 14th st. and N. Y. ave.; reward. CO. 8874.

PURSE, lady's brown lizard, zipper top, cont. billfold, important papers, ration books A and B, Parker fountain pen, keys, money, lost Jan. 1. AD. 3987.

RATION BOOK NO. 3 issued to Bertye Riecks, 4836 Newport ave., Friendship Station, D. C. WI. 2158.

WALLET—Man's black; vic. 16th and K sts. nw., Dec. 31. Reward. DE. 4063.

WRIST WATCH—Man's gold Movado, on Glover Park bus between Union Station and 18th and K sts. nw. Reward. NA. 2630, ext. 205, after 6 p. m.

LADY'S wrist watch, platinum, black band, lost near McLean Gardens area. Reward. D. C. Dowdell, WO. 9821.

LADY'S platinum diamond cluster ring. Liberal reward. Call Mrs. York, DI. 3100 or CO. 5206 evening.

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LOST—Silver bracelet. Pvt. Roger F. Beasley, 33525481, CH. 7700, ext. 143. Reward.

LOST—Large cardboard box containing clothing and books, Friday, either in taxi or on street across from Union Station. Reward. EM. 4205.

GENEROUS REWARD

Earring, round, onyx and gold. Rings of pearls in top. Lost vicinity University Club and Statler Hotel last Monday, Dec. 27. Finder please call WA. 2230.

Personals 11

INCOME tax returns, audits; bookkeeping. B. H. Pace, CPA. WI. 9366.

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Help, Men 15

Any worker last employed in an essential or locally needed activity can not be hired by any other employer except upon presentation of a statement of availability from his last employer or the USES.

ACCOUNTING DEPT.
requires person with good accounting background, well-rounded office experience and the ability and initiative to accept full responsibility for important units of departmental work. Apply Washington Post, 1345 E st., 3rd floor.

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BARBER WANTED—Come Monday. 70% commission. Hrs. 9-7 p. m. 2171 No. Glebe rd. at Lee Hgy., Arlington, Va.

BARBER—Good job for a good, steady man. 8623 Colesville rd., Silver Spring, Md.

BARBER—$50 guarantee. 7716 Georgia ave. GE. 1645.

BARBER—Steady; $55 wk. and comm.; short hours, good for $60-$70. 437 9th nw

BARBER wanted to work in Washington Hotel barber shop, 15th and Pa. ave. nw.

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Very good pay; excellent tips. 308 9th st. nw.

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18 OR OVER
TO DRIVE
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UNION BEAUTY & BARBER SUPPLY
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BOY, WHITE
FOR STOCKROOM
Union Beauty & Barber Supply
516 12th St. N.W.

BOYS, WHITE
Inside messengers, must be over 16. $100 month to start, advancement. Good hours and excellent working conditions.
PERSONNEL DEPT.
HO. 2476

BUTCHER, white; good salary and meals; no Sunday work. Apply Mayfair Restaurant, 527 13th st. nw.

Butcher
or
Meat Cutters
Excellent Salary
Good Opportunity
Applicants must present statement of availability from the local USES
3423 Connecticut Ave.

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No Experience Necessary
Permanent Positions
Generous Earnings
Apply Miss Smith
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MUST HAVE CAR; GOOD ESTABLISHED ROUTE.
MARVIN'S, 734 7th ST. N.W.

LAUNDRY ALL RIGHT LAST WEEK?
OH-UH-ER-FINE! FINE! GOT BACK THREE SHIRTS OUT OF FIVE, FOUR AND A HALF PAIR OF SOCKS OUT OF SEVEN. EXCELLENT AVERAGE INDEED

The Timid Soul

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EXPERIENCED ON CLOTHING INSTALLMENT ACCOUNTS. PERMANENT POSITION WITH EXCELLENT SALARY.
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Counter Men
If you are interested in changing to an ESSENTIAL JOB get in touch with—
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"Famous for Hamburgers"
SLigo 6600 During Office Hours

COPY BOYS—2
Apply Washington Post, 1345 E st., 3d floor.

DISHWASHER—Good hours; good pay; 6 day week. Apply 2477 18th st. nw.

DRIVER for established dry cleaning route; excellent salary plus commission to a steady, reliable man; wonderful opportunity for advancement. Central Cleaners, 323 Carroll st. nw.

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Colored
For Grocery Market
Excellent Pay
Good Opportunity
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Experienced with switchboard. Apply, 1801 16th st. nw. HO. 0376.

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Mayflower Hotel
Conn. Ave. and De Sales St.

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No Experience Necessary
Excellent Working Conditions
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1st or 2nd Class
—draft exempt
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—salary and bonus
STONE PAPER TUBE CO.
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MAN, for retail apparel business, ability to meet public more important than experience. Start about $45-$50 wk. with advancement as qualified. 1427 Eye st. nw., Room 208, 10:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m.

MEN
with magazine experience; no restriction or quota on magazines handled; verification same day; 5 sales daily pay $16 per day. Apply Room 422, Bond Bldg.

Men with cars, part-time early morning work. Apply Washington Post, 1345 E St., 3rd Floor.

Help, Men 15

MEN WITH CARS—Part-time early morning work. See Mr. Dupre, 967 Thayer ave., Silver Spring, Md.

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who can furnish trucks to deliver
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Starting January 8th. Essential work. Can arrange for necessary gas.
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No Experience Necessary
Good salary to start, plus commission on individual sales. Raises after 30 days. Permanent positions with excellent working conditions. All day work. Uniforms and laundry furnished free.
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Essential war jobs with postwar opportunities are available immediately in the railroad industry
No experience required
Age limit, 18-55 years
BRAKEMEN
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HELPERS
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Those now employed in essential industry will not be considered
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Apply in Person
9 A. M.-4 P. M.
U. S. Railroad Retirement Board
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Washington, D. C.

PRESSER, experienced, wanted. Friendship Cleaners, 4633 41st st. nw. EM. 1052

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For established dry cleaning route. Excellent salary plus commission to a steady, reliable man. Wonderful opportunity for advancement. Central Cleaners, 323 Carroll st. nw.

Stock Room
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Inventory Clerk
For permanent position. Hotel experience preferred but not necessary. Good working conditions.
EXCELLENT SALARY
APPLY
Mr. Embrey, 10 A.M. to 2 P.M.
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T. W. A. Air Lines
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Alert; presentable; apply Little Theater, or phone ME. 1326.

Watchman
Man Not Over 65 Years of Age
Apply
Employment Office
4th Floor
Lansburgh Bros.
7th, 8th and E Sts. N.W.

Help, Women 16

VALET
Experienced. Must have good references. Apply head bellman Metropolitan Club, 1700 H st. nw.

ATLAS AGENCY
Atlas Bldg., 527 9th St. NW., Room 502, ACCOUNTANT, senior, $3,000 to $3,600.
BOOKKEEPERS, $45 week.
STATISTICAL CLERKS, $192 month.
RADIO ENGINEER, $250-$300 month.
BURR MACH. OPRS., $35-$40 week.
Courteous Service Always.

EARLY MORNING WORK
Several men with cars needed in various branch offices. Apply Personnel Office, Washington Post Building, 1337 E st. nw., or call National 4200, Ext. 311.
Applicants living in the Silver Spring, Md., area should telephone SHepherd 5037 or contact the branch office at 967 Thayer st. Applicants living in Arlington apply 2117 Wilson blvd.

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We need 3 optical and instrument experienced good mechanics to work on and repair telescopes, binoculars, microscopes and range finders. Top starting pay and bonus. Also need 2 precision optical men on prisms and reticules; will teach precision optics if one year experience. Write letter giving background, age and experience or interview any afternoon or evening. Write or phone Mr. Winters Jones, Md. Precision Instrument & Optical Co., 143 North Carey, Baltimore, Md.

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For All Types of Restaurant Work
Good Salary and Meals
Must have statement of availability.
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No Fees
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ACCOUNTANT, BOOKKEEPER, graduate, experienced; unusually pleasant working conditions. NA. 4980, branch 1.

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For Beauty Salon
Interesting position for an alert woman with a pleasing personality.
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ASSISTANT HOUSEKEEPER
Experienced
Apply
Mrs. Boggs
Ambassador Hotel
14th and K Sts. N.W.

CARD PUNCH OPR., $150
Experienced, under 30.
BOYD'S, 1333 F ST. N.W.

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Colored woman needed for night cleaning. No quarters. Permanent position. Apply Personnel Office, Washington Post Annex, 1345 E st. nw.

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Neat, intelligent; no experience necessary. Salary $146 month. Room 400 Tower Bldg., 14th and K sts. nw.

CLERKS, $145 MO.
Good at figures; experienced. Clerk, knowledge typing, $35 wk. Cashier, real estate, $125 mo. File clerks, exper., under 35, $120 mo. English teachers, $200 mo. Kindergarten teacher, $110 mo. See Miss Reed. New openings every few minutes. Unusual salaries.
PERSONNEL SERVICE
1311 G St. N.W. NA. 2114.

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Clerk-Typist
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For chain laundry and dry-cleaning stores. Excellent opportunity for advancement. Openings in Petworth and Columbia Heights sections.
Apply 4913 Georgia Ave.
Smith Cleaners

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If you are interested in changing to an Essential Job get in touch with
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GIRL wanted for inspecting in dry cleaning plant. Excellent salary to start. Write Box M-382, Washington Post.

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FILE CLERK
For Casualty Insurance Office, 18 to 30.
Must Be Capable Typist.
5-Day Week
Salary Based on Qualifications
Call Miss Morse
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Floor Housekeeper
Hotel Experience Preferred
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Statler Hotel
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Excellent Salary
Good Opportunity
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Must have general knowledge of decorating and be experienced in meeting the public.
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7th, 8th and E Sts. N.W.

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NIGHT AND DAY WORK
RED CIRCLE FOOD SHOP
NO. 1 MASS. AVE. N.W.

KITCHEN HELP
Apply 2003 Eye St. N.W.

LEGAL SEC., $50 WK.
Age under 35; legal experience.
MISS YOUNG.
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Opportunity for permanent employment with established firm. Pleasant working conditions. Vacations with pay.
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Employment Office
4th & T Sts. N.E.

OPERATORS
Experienced on electric sewing machines; long Govt. contract; highest wages. District Awning & Shade Co., 2410 Georgia ave. nw.

P. B. X. OPR., $140 MO.
Fast board, day hours.
P. B. X., knowl. typing, $30 wk.
P. B. X., NE. sec., $27.50 wk.
P. B. X., apt. house, $110 mo.
See Miss Page. New openings hourly.
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Immediate openings for Addressograph and Comptometer Operators in Accounting Department and General Office Clericals. Excellent pay, pleasant working conditions.
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Full or Part Time
No Experience Necessary
APPLY TO
Miss Anderson
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SECRETARY, $200
Knowledge of bookkeeping.
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Will Pay According to Ability. Call EX. 4593.

STENOG'S, $35-$50 WK.
Stenog.—Legal exper., under 35; $46 wk.
Stenog.—5-day week; $40 week.
Stenog.—Aviation; $45 week.
Stenog.—By day, $6-$7 day.
Need 25 Stenogs daily—current openings. See Miss White (NA. 2338).
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Apply Room 301

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PERMANENT POSITION
GOOD SALARY
APPLY MARVIN'S
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Apply Chief Operator
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Do not apply if employed full time at your maximum skill in another war industry.

TYPIST
Stenographic knowledge desirable; for local branch office of large insurance company. 5-day week. Good salary.
HOME INSURANCE CO.
NA. 1360 1522 K St. N.W.

TYPISTS, $120; 5-DAY WEEK
Increase after 90 days.
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WAITRESSES
Day and Night Work. Please Bring Release.
RED CIRCLE FOOD SHOP
NO. 1 MASS. AVE. N.W.

WOMAN
To manage and cook for small private cafeteria and supervise 2 helpers in Alexandria, Va.; good hours and salary; pleasant surroundings; must have had previous food cafeteria or restaurant experience. Reply giving telephone number, age and business experience. Box 483, Washington Post.

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Ages 18 to 50
Also Part-Time Work in Evening for Unemployed Women
Earnings at Start Range From $23 to $26.50 With Rapid Increases
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Work Near Your Home
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YOUNG LADY BETWEEN 20-30 FOR GENERAL OFFICE WORK WITH NATIONALLY KNOWN FIRM. $39. 48 HOURS. 5½-DAY WEEK. WRITE BOX 605, WASHINGTON POST.

ATLAS AGENCY
Atlas Bldg., 527 9th St. NW., Room 502.
We have openings for
SECRETARY, trans., start $41.60 week
SECRY., Spanish, no shorthand, $170 mo.
STENOGS. (20), $125-$165 month.
STENOGS., know French, $180-$200 mo.
STATISTICAL clerks, exper. calculating machines, $180 month.
COMPTOMETER operators, $2,000 year.
RECEPTIONIST, $1,620 year.
BOOKKEEPERS, junior and senior.
DICTAPHONE operators, $40 week.
TYPIST, temporary, 65c to 70c hour.
Courteous Service Always.

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WOMEN
with clerking and waitress experience, can earn $35 per week. Apply Room 424.
Bond Bldg., 14th and G.

ADAMS TEACHERS AGENCY
204 Colorado Bldg., 14th and G.
Immediate openings for science, music, math., elementary grades.

For Lady

To take charge of marking and assembly departments. Excellent opportunity for a thoroughly experienced person.

Apply 4913 Georgia Ave.
Smith Cleaners

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Office Clericals
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Typists
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8th Floor
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Attractive Positions Open for
Stenographer
Restaurant
Cashiers
Night Auditors
N.C.R. Exper. Preferred
Clerks, Day and Night
Apply
Mr. Weigand, Auditor's Office
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16th and K Sts. N.W.

COLORED WOMEN
For all Types of Restaurant Work
Good Salary and Meals
Apply
Washington Restaurant Association
No Fees
2003 Eye St. N.W.

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Openings
Now For . . .
SHOE SALESMEN
(Experienced)
SHOE SALES-WOMEN
(Previous experience not needed . . . complete training provided.)
Permanent Positions
Excellent Earnings
Apply to Mr. Abbey
HAHN
1207 F Street

Help, Domestic 18

COOK AND G. H. W.
White or colored; permanent position; refs. req. Call MI. 6392 bet. 8 and 12 a. m.

COOK—G. H. W.
Sunday off; live in or out. $15 week. Call MI. 3447 after 6 p. m.

DAY WORKER, N. Arlington, cleaning; refs. required; 1 or 2 days week. 6- or 8 hours; 50c hour and carfare. GL. 0155.

G. H. W., $20
White or colored; live out; 40-hour week plus carfare. Small new home, Greenbelt 2376.

GIRL for g.h.w. and assist with laundry, no cooking; live in; $15 week. Alexandria vicinity. References. TE. 4953.

GIRL for g. h. w. in small apt; care of child; 7:30 to 6; washing and cooking for child only. MI. 8367.

MAID—6½-day week; general housework. 4Sligo 8273.

MAID, g.h.w., plain cooking, light laundry, 10:30 to 6:30; no Sundays; $12 week and carfare; references. 1387 Somerset pl. nw. GE. 5266.

MAID, general housework, part time. WI. 9846.

MAID
Wanted, reliable, 1 adult in family. Call AD. 3540 before 12.

MAID—Care of children, g. h. w., 9 to 6:45 p. m.; no Sundays at all. $18 and carfare. SH. 4382.

MAID—G.H.W.; $16.25, 5½ days; no Sunday; live in or out; own room; health card; references. RA. 4075.

MAID—G. H. W.
White or colored in Georgetown. Sun. and Thurs. p. m.'s off, alternative time off arrangement possible; other help employed, pay according to experience. Will exchange ref. Health card required. NO. 6652.

MAID, G. H. W.
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100	34.68	26.26	17.85	12.25	$ 9.46
150	52.01	39.39	26.78	18.38	14.18
200	69.35	52.52	35.71	24.50	18.91
250	86.69	65.66	44.63	30.63	23.64
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Business Opportunities 29

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Rooms, Suburban 35

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Housekeeping Suites 37

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Rooms Wanted 38

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Rooms With Board 39

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17TH ST. NW., 1309—Several vacancies, with 2 meals on Sunday. HO. 9335.

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Apartments, Furnished 46

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Monday, Jan. 3 — Washington — Eastern War Time

	WMAL 630KC 476M	WRC 980KC 316M	WOL 1260KC 229M	WTOP 1500KC 200M
	Prelude, 6:05-7. News, 6, 7 and 8:30 Mahoney 7:45. Brokenshire, 7:10-7:45, 8-9.	Bill Henson, 6:05-9 World Roundup, 8 News at 6, 7, 7:55 and 8:30.	News at 6:30, 7:30, 8 and 8:30 Art Brown. 6:35-9:30.	Start Day R't 5:45 Corn Squeezing 6 Godfrey, 7 to 9:45 News 5:55, 8:45, 7:30 & 8.
	9:00—Breakfast Club	Mirth and Madness	Art Brown at the Organ	Godfrey; News Home Service
	9:15—			
	9:30—Breakfast Club	News; Banghart Sound Stage	Listen. Ladies!	American School of the Air
	9:45—			
	10:00—Sweet River	Lora Lawton	News; Ladies!	Valiant Lady
	10:15—Pin Money	Story Dramas	Mr. Moneybags	Kitty Foyle
	10:30—Pin Money	Helpmate	Shady Valley	Open Door
	10:45—Pin Money	Music Room	Folks	B'lor's Children
	11:00—Breakfast at Sardi's	Road of Life	News; A. Gaeth	Honeymoon Hill
	11:15—	Vic and Sade	The Handy Man	Second Husband
	11:30—W. Kiernan	Brave Tomorrow	Morning Serenade	Bright Horizon
	11:45—Baby Institute	David Harum	What's Your Idea	Aunt Jenny
	12:00—News; Allen	News, Unger	News; B Carter	Kate Smith Speaks
	12:15—Little Show	Devotions	"Music Mixers"	Big Sister
	12:30—Farm-Home Hour	Matinee Today	Footlite Vignettes	Helen Trent
	12:45—	Matinee Today	Nashville Variet's	Our Gal Sunday
	1:00—Baukhage	Mary Mason	News; Ray Dady	Life Beautiful
	1:15—Open House	Mary Mason	Scratches; Hodges	Ma Perkins
	1:30— " " "	Tropical Echoes	Luncheon With	Bernadine Flynn
	1:45— " " "	Carey Longmire	Lopez	The Goldbergs
	2:00—Rodriquez	Guiding Light	Russ Hodges	Young Dr. Malone
	2:15—Treas. Parade	Today's Children	" "	Joyce Jordan
	2:30—School of	Light of World	Compton;	We Love & Learn
	2:45— Officers	Church Hymns	Russ Hodges	Perry Mason
	3:00—Mort. Downey	Wom. of America	" "	Mary Marlin
	3:15—True Story	Ma Perkins	" "	Now and Forever
	3:30—	Pepper Young	" "	Janice Grey
	3:45—Jack Little	Right to Happin'ss	" "	News for Women
	4:00—News; Allen	Backstage Wife	News Background	Broadway Matinee; News
	4:15—Music	Stella Dallas	Russ Hodges	
	4:30—"Tire"—News	Lorenzo Jones	Treasure	Texas
	4:45—Terry & Pirates	Widow Brown	Island	Rangers
	5:00—Accent On Music	Girl Marries	Cocktail Capers	Fun With Dunn
	5:15—	Portia Faces Life	Moods in Music	
	5:30—J. Armstrong	Just Plain Bill	Compton; Music	Stump Us Club
	5:45—Capt. M'night	Front Page Farrell	Superman	American Women
	6:00—Battle'f News	News; Harkness	Sports Resume	Folliard-Costello
	6:15—Baukhage	Musicade	Compton; Music	Lyn Murray Show
	6:30—Sports, Ag'sky	Morgan Beatty	World's Front Pg.	Jeri Sullavan
	6:45—L. Thoms	Musicade	Music	News; Harsch
	7:00—Day Is Done	Fred Waring	Fulton Lewis, jr.	Love a Mystery
	7:15—Music	News of World	Johnson Family	Ed Sullivan
	7:30—The Lone Ranger	Stringtime Herson in Person	Bulldog Drummond	"Blondie" "Blondie"
	8:00—Earl Godwin	Cavalcade	Sizing Up News	"Vox Pop"
	8:15—Lum n Abner	of America	Fulton Oursler	"Vox Pop"
	8:30—"Blind Date"	Voice of	Sherlock	Gay Nineties
	8:45— " "	Firestone	Holmes	Review; News
	9:00—Counter Spy	Telephone Hour	Gabriel Heatter	Lux Radio
	9:15—		Gracie Fields	
	9:30—Spotlight	Dr. I. Q.	Paul Winchell &	Theater
	9:45— Bands	Dr. I. Q.	Jenny Mahoney	" " "
	10:00—R. G. Swing	Contented	Raymond Clapper	Screen Guild
	10:15—10:2 Ranch	Program	Educ. for Freedom	Players
	10:30—Mu io	Information	Bernie Cummins	Broadway
	10:45— n	Please	Modern Melodies	Showtime
	11:00— Music	B. Repaid. News		Calmer & Shirer
	11:15— Music	Harkness of D. C.	News; F. Lewis	Arch McDonald's
	11:30—Saludos	Pacific	Radio Newsreel	Moondial
	11:45— Amigos	Story	Unity Viewpoint	Sonny Dunham

RADIO NOTES FOR TODAY

The Open Door-Sandra Michaels' daytime series switchmes to a new time and station. WTOP—10:30 a.m.

Allan Jones, now at the National Theater in "Jackpot" is interviewed by Walter Compton. WOL—12:30 p. m.

Little Jack Little—Just back from a battlefront tour, beginning a series of broadcasts planned to sell bonds for the Treasury. WMAL—3:45 p. m.

"Bull's-Eye for Sammy" is the dramatization on "Cavalcade of America." WRC—8 p. m.

Voice of Firestone—Richard Crooks, tenor soloist, with Howard Barlow and the Firestone Symphony Orchestra. WRC—8:30 p. m.

Grace Moore is soloist on "The Telephone Hour." WRC—9 p. m.

"North Star"—Radio version of the photoplay, with Walter Huston, Anne Baxter, Jane Withers and Farley Grainger. WTOP 10 p. m.

National Radio Forum—Senators Alexander Wiley and Elbert D. Thomas discuss "The Care and Rehabilitation of Veterans," WMAL—10:30 p. m.

WWDC broadcasts news every half-hour on the hour and half-hour; WINX on the hour and every available half-hour

Station WINX, Monday, January 3, 1944—E. W. T.—250 W.—1340 KC

MORNING		
6:00	Jerry Strong	1:00 Sports
9:30	Tommy Johnson	5:30 Sincerely Yours.
10:00	Symphony Hour	5:45 News Roundup
11:00	Rhythm Five.	EVENING
11:15	Tommy Johnson.	6:00 Sports Column
11:30	Traffic Court	6:15 Dinner Music.
AFTERNOON		7:00 Simonized Syncopation.
12:00	Luncheon Music	

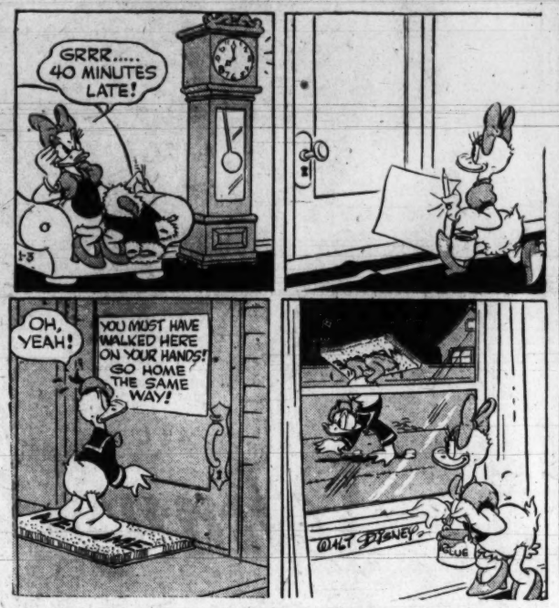
8:00	S. American Way.
8:15	Treasury Parade.
8:30	Ted Fio Rito Orch.
9:00	Symphony Hour
10.00	Concert Hour.
10:30	Traffic Court
11:00	U.S.O.-N.C.C.S Dance
11:30	Slumber Music
12:00	Midnight Newsreel

Station WWDC, Monday, January 3, 1944—E. W. T.—250 W.—1450 KC.

MORNING		
6:00	Sunrise Serenade.	12:45 D. C. Baptist Conv.
6:30	News—Bob Ball.	1:00 Concert Hour.
6:45	Dale Crowley.	2:00 Pan-Americans.
7:00	Mike Hunnicutt.	2:3 Sweet & Swing.
10:00	Blessed Eventer.	3:30 1450 Club
10:20	Irving Miller Orch.	5:00 Band of the Day.
10:30	Alice Lane.	5:15 Jimmie Allen.
11:30	Jim Jam Session.	5:30 Victory Vaudevlle
AFTERNOON		EVENING
12:00	Password Please!	6:00 Melody Lane.
12:15	Dixie Jamboree.	6:30 Johannes Steel.
12:30	Dale Crowley.	6:45 Boothby-Mansell.

7:00	Blind Date Time.
7:30	Xavier Cugat.
7:45	Talking Pictures.
8:00	Harry James Orch.
8:30	St. Mary's Novena.
9:00	Treasury Parade.
9:15	Richard Eaton
9:30	Allen Roth Orch.
9:45	Fights, Turner Arena
10:30	Horace Heidt.
11:00	The Streamliners
11:30	Continental Hits.

DONALD DUCK — By Walt Disney



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TERRY AND THE PIRATES — Bust Thrust — By Milton Caniff

MY CAPTAIN'S FACE SHOWS DEEP CONCERN!
DID YOU NOT HEAR? THE YANKEE BOMBERS STRUCK AT A TARGET IN FRENCH INDO-CHINA... AND WITH BUT LITTLE OPPOSITION...
THEN, RETURNING BY A ROUTE KNOWN ONLY TO US, THE FORCE WAS ATTACKED BY FIGHTERS AND ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE... SOMEONE REVEALED THE RETURN ROUTE TO THE ENEMY!
MY CAPTAIN—THERE IS A MATTER OF IMPORTANCE
AND WHAT DOES THE MASTER OF THE AIRCRAFT WARNING NETWORK HAVE TO REPORT WITH SUCH URGENCY?
IT HAS BEEN RELAYED BY OUR NETWORK OF SHORT RANGE TRANSMITTERS THAT THE JAPANESE KNEW IN ADVANCE OF THE RAID OF THE YANKEE BOMBERS... THE OPEN FURNACE THAT WAS TO BE THEIR LANDMARK WAS A DECOY, THE REAL ONE WAS SEVERAL MILES AWAY... WHAT SEEMED TO BE BURNING BUILDINGS WERE TRASH HEAPS—LIGHTED BY ELECTRICITY AFTER THE BOMBS FELL!

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

HEY, MAX! WANTA HEAR A GOOD ONE?
OH!·· IT'S YOU, PETE LENZ?··YES··I NEED A LAUGH!
WELL, THIS'LL PANIC YA! I'M UP AT TH' HIGH-SCHOOL, SEE? GETTIN' PUBLICITY PICTURES FOR TH' BIG SHOW! THAT MONEZ DAME WAS STRUTTIN' AROUND IN A COSTUME THAT'D MAKE A WOODEN INDIAN YELL "WOO-WOO!"
BUT WHEN I ASKED HER TO POSE, SHE BLEW UP LIKE A LAND-MINE! SO I STOLE A SHOT WITHOUT HER KNOWIN' IT!···BOY! I'LL BET THE EMULSION'S BLISTERED ON THIS PLATE!
I THINK I'LL WALK BACK TO THE STUDIO WITH YOU! SOMETHING VERY INTERESTING MAY DEVELOP FROM THIS
DEVELOP?···I GET IT! YOU'RE SURE A CARD, MAX!
RONK

MICKEY FINN — Jack of All Trades — By Lank Leonard

UNCLE PHIL HAS DECIDED TO JOIN THE NAVY'S NEW SHIP REPAIR UNITS AND HELP REFIT FIGHTING SHIPS IN COMBAT AREAS.
I DIDN'T KNOW THAT A MAN OF MY AGE COULD ENLIST, UNTIL I MET MR. McGEE!
OH, YES—IF YOU'RE NOT OVER 50—AND OUR SHIP REPAIR UNITS NEED EXPERIENCED MECHANICS! WHAT HAVE YOU WORKED AT?
NAVY
WELL, LET'S SEE—I'VE BEEN A BLACKSMITH, A MOULDER, A BOILERMAKER, A CARPENTER, A BRICKLAYER, A PLUMBER, A WELDER, A TINSMITH, A—
OKAY—HERE! FILL OUT THIS APPLICATION.
BY GOLLY, ITCHY! WAIT'LL THE BOYS AT CLANCY'S SEE ME IN A UNIFORM—THEY'LL DROP DEAD!
THE PAY IS GOOD, TOO, PHIL—YOU'LL QUALIFY FOR A MACHINIST'S MATE FIRST CLASS RATING!
AM I IN, NOW?
NOT QUITE! YOU'LL HAVE TO PASS THE PHYSICAL EXAMINATION FIRST! FOLLOW ME!

MR. AND MRS. — Merely a Matter of Duty — By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover

MY GOOD GRIEF!
OF ALL THINGS! ANOTHER ONE!
JOE, WHAT'S THE IDEA OF LEAVING CIGAR STUMPS ALL OVER THE HOUSE? OH—DID I?
YES, YOU DID. YOURE NOT USUALLY SO CARELESS OH, THESE ARE CHRISTMAS CIGARS, NOT VERY GOOD ONES. I WANT TO SMOKE 'EM UP AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

DIXIE DUGAN — A Phoney? — By J. P. McEvoy and H. J. Striebel

NOW REMEMBER, DEAR—IF MRS HACKET LIKES MR. SMITH, THAT'S HER DEPARTMENT
O.K., DEAR—BYE—
MA'S RIGHT! MRS HACKET IS AN INTELLIGENT WOMAN
JUST BECAUSE I THINK SMITH'S A PHONEY IS NO SIGN HE IS ONE
IF THEY GOT MARRIED OVER THE WEEK END—WELL—IT'S NONE OF MY BUSINESS

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — Whale Sighted — By Frank Martinek

THE DAYS WERE HOT, THE NIGHTS COLD, AND THE WIND AND WAVES WERE MERCILESS!
HOURS AND DAYS PASSED AS THE WAVES AND SWELLS TEN TO TWENTY FEET HIGH CONTINUED TO DRIVE ME ALMOST CRAZY
IT WAS NERVE WRACKING... NO SLEEP AND CONSTANT POUNDING WAVES AGAINST THE RAFT... I WAS FORCED TO TAKE MORPHINE
I'LL HAVE TO DRUG MYSELF TO SLEEP OR IT'LL BE CURTAINS FOR ME
ADRIFT IN THE CORAL SEA WAS NOT WITHOUT EXCITING MOMENTS... I ALWAYS WANTED TO SEE A WHALE... WELL, I DID... TWO OF THEM
ONE IS COMING RIGHT FOR THE RAFT! WHAT'LL I DO?

BIG CHIEF WAHOO — By Saunders and Woggon

IN FRENCH!
HOW ODD, M'SIEU ROPER! SOME OF THESE TRINKETS YOU SELL ARE STAMPED "MADE IN THE U.S.A."!!
NATURALLY···! HERR SCHLICK HAS NO DOUBT HEARD OF SMUGGLERS?
DO THESE SMUGGLERS USE RUBBER BOATS TO LAND ON THE SHORE OF FRANCE?
OF THAT I KNOW NOTHING!
ACH! THE AMERICANS WOULD SAY·· "YOU KEEP THE LIP BUTTONED UP", EH?
AS I TOLD YOU···I DO NOT SPEAK ENGLISH, HERR SCHLICK!
HOW, STEVE!··YOU KETCHUM WAHOO'S SMOKE SIGNAL TO LOOKUM OUT FOR SAUSAGE-NECK NAZI?

WINNIE WINKLE — Low-Bridge, Men! — By Branner

THIS IS LEAP YEAR—MY YEAR!
IF YOU MEAN YOU'RE GOING TO PROPOSE TO SOME MAN-
--YOU'D BETTER GIVE IT CAREFUL CONSIDERATION! MARRIAGE IS A SERIOUS PROPOSITION--
I KNOW SOME OLD GALS WHO'VE BEEN TOO CAREFUL!
JUST THE SAME, YOU'D BETTER LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAP!---
NA-AAH--
--TH' MEN HAD BETTER LOOK BEFORE I LEAP!!

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED — By Zane Grey

FOLLOWING THE "GLOWING GHOST" AWAY FROM HI' MURDEROUS TRAIN ROBBERY, KING OVERTAKES A BLACK-CAPED FIGURE THAT PROVES TO BE DOCTOR GAMMA!
I TELL YOU, KING, THE "GHOST" CLUBBED AND LEFT ME UNCONSCIOUS IN THAT CAVE, SO I WOULDN'T HAVE AN ALIBI-
...THEN PLANNED HIS ESCAPE, SO IT WOULD LEAD YOU RIGHT HERE TO ME!
YOU HAVE IT ALL FIGURED OUT, Dr. GAMMA... ALMOST TOO PERFECTLY!
WE'RE GOING TO FIND THE OTHER SUSPECT, PROFESSOR ZERO, AND HEAR THE ALIBI HE'S COOKED UP!

RIGHT AROUND HOME — By Dudley Fisher

WELL, MYRTLE, I HOPE YOU START BACK TO SCHOOL DETERMINED TO MAKE BETTER GRADES!
SHUCKS, POP! GRADES AREN'T EVERYTHING!
EDUCATION TEACHES US TO EVALUATE OUR FELLOW MEN. THE TEACHER SAID SO!
AND I SUPPOSE YOU'RE GETTING THE LOW-DOWN ON ALL THE NEIGHBORS!
WELL—
WE'RE SURE FINDING OUT WHICH FATHERS CAN'T DO THE HOME-WORK!

JOE PALOOKA — Boxing History — By Ham Fisher

SAY—THAT WAS A TERRIFIC STORY, JOE.
IT CERTAINLY MADE BOXING HISTORY. I READ IT BUT IT WAS MUCH BETTER TO HEAR YOU TELL IT.
IT'S QUITE A UNUSUAL STORY I S'POSE, BUT IT WAS ALL A FLUKE··· A- ACCIDENT.
THERE I WAS CHAMPEEN··· AN' I COULDN'T LICK A TWO CENT STAMP··· THAT WAS THE JOKER.
BUT YOU DID!
DON'T BE NUTS!
I MEAN I WON BECAUSE KNOBBY TOLD ME THE CHAMP WAS THE LEADER OF THE MOB WHO ROBBED HIM··· BUT THAT STORY WOULDN'T WORK AGAIN··· DUMB AS I WAS.

JANE ARDEN — Hi's Props — By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross

WANDA LOTT, THE MOVIE STAR, EAGER FOR PUBLICITY, FELL IN WITH HI CALBUR'S PLAN TO FAKE A STORY-
WHAT ON EARTH IS THAT?
PROPS, MY DEAR GIRL, PROPS—WE'RE GOING TO MAKE THIS YARN LOOK GOOD—
FIRST WE DOPE OUT A BLACK-MAIL LETTER WITH NO HAND-WRITING THAT THEY CAN IDENTIFY-
I SIMPLY CUT OUT THE WORDS I WANT AND PASTE THEM ON THIS PAPER-
MARVELOUS
EEEK! A CHICKEN!
SURE—WHEN I WRING IT'S NECK, WE'LL HAVE ALL THE BLOOD WE WANT-ALL OVER THE PLACE—

SUPERMAN — Hear Superman 5:45 P.M. Today—WOL — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

ACCOMPANIED BY LOIS LANE AND HER AMAZING NIECE, SUSIE, SUPERMAN HAS JUST COME ACROSS THE TRAIL OF THE ELEVATORS THAT, IN SUSIE'S DREAM, KEPT GOING UP AND UP...
WONDERFUL VIEW, EH, SUPERMAN? YOU WOULDN'T HAPPEN TO KNOW WHERE WE'RE GOING, WOULD YOU?
GOSH, SOME OF THESE PEOPLE DON'T SEEM TO BE VERY WORRIED OR SCARED!
WONDER HOW THE OTHERS ARE DOING?
NOTHING LIKE FINDING OUT!
SUSIE!

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — By Clifford McBride

Heavy Demand For Pulpwood Foreseen in '44

New York, Jan. 2 (INS).—The war activities committee of the pulpwood consuming industries reported tonight that domestic pulpwood production showed "some improvement" during October and November when the newspaper victory pulpwood campaign was at its peak.

At the same time, however, the committee stated that military and civilian requirements for pulpwood products in 1944 will necessitate an even greater effort by farmers, pulpwood cutters, and part-time woods workers than in 1943, due to the tightening manpower and transportation shortages.

Pulpwood Receipts

Mill receipts of domestic pulpwood throughout the Nation totaled 11,911,000 cords during 11 months of 1943. This is only 1,089,000 cords under the 13 million-cord goal set for the year by the War Production Board, with December figures as yet unreported. Total mill receipts in October were 1,228,000 cords, and in November, 1,115,000 cords.

The wartime decline in pulpwood receipts began in October, 1942, and continued until the early fall of this year when the trend was reversed. Mill receipts since have been well above those of 1942, although the year's total will fall below that of last year because of a 24 per cent drop under 1942 during the first half of this year.

Mill receipts were encouraging in all regions except the Northeast, the committee reported, and there the inability of industry to obtain its normal complement of Canadian labor was held partially to blame.

Improvement in South

The greatest improvement was noted in the South, which produces almost half the domestic supply of pulpwood. This region, it was stated, "best reflects the effect of the victory pulpwood campaign because of the cutting and delivery of pulpwood to the mills."

Mill receipts in Northeast, lake States, and in the Pacific Northwest do not accurately represent current production, the committee said, as there is often a lapse of six months or more between cutting and mill deliveries due to adverse weather conditions and seasonal conditions and seasonal transportation habits.

38 Officers Coming To Police Academy

The twenty-fourth session of the National Police Academy will open here Monday, January 10 with 38 police officers from various parts of the country and a representative from China enrolled in the 14-week course.

Among those who will attend are Sergt. Robert G. Thompson of the United States Park Police, Washington; Charles N. Thomsen, officer in charge of identification bureau, Prince Georges County Police, and Corpl. Grayson E. Newcomer, Maryland State Police, Pikesville. The course will include the various phases of scientific crime detection with emphasis on the wartime duties of police.

The Weather

U. S. Dept. of Commerce, Weather Bureau, Washington, Sunday, January 2, 9 P. M.

Forecasts

For the District of Columbia—Freezing rain today and warmer; clearing at night. Fair tomorrow.

For Maryland and Virginia—Rain and slightly warmer today. Fair tomorrow.

Departures From Normal

Accumulated deficiency of temperature since January 1, 1944, 4 degrees.

Deficiency of temperature since January 1, 1944, 4 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1944, .13 inch.

Temperature same date last year—Highest, 46; lowest, 35.

Temperatures	Highest	Lowest
Washington	38	25
Albuquerque	41	20
Atlanta	41	38
Boston	32	16
Buffalo	32	28
Chicago	41	22
Cleveland	34	26
Denver	42	22
Detroit	32	22
Fort Worth	44	36
Kansas City	42	33
Los Angeles	53	48
Louisville	36	27
Memphis	41	39
Miami	74	69
Minneapolis-St. Paul	41	18
New Orleans	67	54
New York	32	24
Philadelphia	36	25
Pittsburgh	38	22
St. Louis	35	30
San Francisco	56	48
Seattle	47	36

Lingerie Windfall

Police Seek Fair Owners Of 38 Stepins

If the woman or women who lost 38 pairs of sheer stepins will "step in" the Twelfth Precinct police station they may recover their "a-hem-s," and also end a 24-hour period of unwonted blushes on the part of station personnel, besides solving the New Year's oddest incident.

It all happened yesterday when Charles H. Hospital of 3500 15th st. ne., looked out the window of his home and saw, scattered about his backyard, what looked like intimate fugitives from a lingerie shop.

Unaccustomed as he was to such a sight, he said, Hospital called police. Pvt. J. G. Beach responded, blushingly gathered up the dainty numbers packed them into an 8x14-inch box, and took them to No. 12 station, where they are now waiting their a-hem-slender claimant or claimants.

211 Violent Deaths Recorded in U. S. Over Weekend

By the Associated Press

The Nation counted 211 violent deaths late yesterday as the New Year weekend neared its close.

Fatalities reported since 6 p. m. Friday included 130 motor vehicles deaths and 81 from fires, drownings, gas poisoning and other causes. The normal traffic toll, however, for such a three-day holiday period, would range between 225 and 275, the National Safety Council estimated.

California led in deaths, with 39. New York had 20.

What's Going On and Where

Breakfasts, Luncheons and Dinners

Washington Executives Association, Willard, 12:30 p. m.

Massachusetts Protective Insurance Co., Willard, 1 p. m.

International Labor Office, Mayflower, 1 p. m.

National Planning Association, Statler, 6:30 p. m.

Meetings

Dupont Circle Citizens Association, Mayflower, 8 p. m.

Veterans of Foreign Wars, Council of Administration, District Building, 8 p. m.

Kappa Gamma Sorority, Statler, 8 p. m.

Entertainment

Voice recordings, USO, for servicemen, Salvation Army, 801 Market space nw., 7 p. m.

Drama Workshop, Jewish Community Center, 16th and Q sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Dance, Servicemen's Club No. 1, 306 9th st. nw., 8 p. m.

Dancing class, servicemen only, YMCA, 1736 G st. nw., 8 p. m.

Twilight musicale, Washington Chapel, 16th st. and Columbia rd. nw., 8 p. m.

Stage Door Canteen, all evening.

Exhibits

Corcoran Gallery of Art, annual exhibition of the Artists' Guild of Washington.

Children's Museum, 4216 Massachusetts ave. nw., exhibits on Persia, India; collection of dolls from various countries.

National Archives, Pennsylvania ave. and 8th st., exhibition of objects from the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library at Hyde Park, including sculptures and prints; open 10 to 6 weekdays; 2 to 5 Sundays.

Sky Roads, aviation exhibit, Department of Commerce Auditorium, 10 to 6 daily, including Sundays.

Outlook For 1944

By Roger W. Babson

Election-Year Uncertainties Seen

The year 1943 again set a new record for business in Washington. The dollar volume—as measured by debits to individual accounts—exceeded that of the previous year by 10 per cent. There appears to have been a stabilizing of business volume at current levels. As I make my forecast for 1944 it looks as though next year might see a continuation of thisleveling process. Even if this is so, the city can count on good business as compared with many previous years.

Of course, there will be some disturbing factors in the situation next year. Being an election year, Washington will be the center of this uncertainty. However, the tremendous amount of business being handled in Washington must of necessity create a huge volume of activity.

Local stores, theaters, beauty parlors and restaurants are doing an excellent volume of business. They should continue to reap a harvest in 1944. Department stores had a good holiday business. Sales for the year were 5 per cent to 10 per cent above a year ago. Spring sales will make favorable comparison with the corresponding period of 1943. There are no indications that building will stage an early resumption of activity. When the ban on residential construction is lifted, however, the story will be quite different.

Undoubtedly there will be a gradual treking of employes out o' Washington as peace in Europe comes in sight. In the meantime, however, business should continue in good volume and Washington will still be the "Hub" of the Nation's activities.

Faced as we are with many problems during 1944, both national and international, it is reasonable to expect that Washington will be the pivot around which everything revolves. **Business should be maintained at a very high level with the first quarter about equal to the first quarter of 1943.**

Nationally, most firms are booked to capacity. If any more business were offered they would not be able to handle it for many months. This is roughly my forecast for 1944. The Babsonchart Index of the Physical Volume of Business for the final quarter of 1943 averaged 141 compared with 150.7 for the same period of 1942. The all-time high was reached in December, 1942, when my index stood at 155.6. It is not possible that this record can be exceeded in 1944.

Businessmen should catch the Government's policy of disposing of its huge inventories of consumer merchandise. With supplies at a much higher level than in World War I, retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers should insist there be no dumping on domestic markets. This could smash prices. Flooding the export markets could make it difficult to sell goods abroad at a fair profit. I hope a substantial portion of our surplus will be given to the peoples of continental Europe and China.

I forecast that retail dollar sales will average 5 per cent to 10 per cent higher in 1933 than in 1943. Sales volume of consumer goods will again start to climb as smaller companies get the okay on postwar merchandise. I expect some decline from 1943 in the physical volume of retail sales due to the scarcity of goods and less employment. Substitute merchandise has sold well, but manufacturers and wholesalers are now wary of it. As good war news increases consumers will wait for new postwar merchandise rather than buy synthetic war-made goods. Merchants should keep a workable inventory. Do not overstock.

The 1944 long-term trend of stock prices is definitely upward. A growing hoard of money seeks investment. Few new stocks are available. Present holders are less willing to let stocks go, except at higher prices. The rise from May, 1942 to July, 1943, was a long, unbroken advance.

A period of consolidation, such as from July 14 to date, was in order. The next few months may still be marked by irregularity. This should not disturb real investors. Corporations are adjusted to wartime operations. Any material change in the war situation may create temporarily upsetting uncertainties. On the bullish side the market strengthened in the face of the largest War Bond drive in our history.

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